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## Births.

DYMOND.—August 24, at her residence, Trevennack, Parramatta, the wife of Edmund Dymond, of a son.

## Marriages.

FOULCHER—BANKS.—July 31, 1895, at St. John's, Bishopthorpe, Glebe, by the Rev. S. S. Tovey, B.A., Arthur J., youngest son of the late Robert Harvey Foulcher, of Ryde, to Emmie, youngest daughter of H. R. Banks, Esq., Glebe Point-road, Glebe, Sydney.

SHANNON—HAWLEY.—August 14, at Bando Station, Cunnamulla, Queensland, by the Rev. L. H. Wickham, James Alexander, third son of the Rev. Robert Shannon, to Nellie Josephine, youngest daughter of the late Frederick Hawley, barrister, New Zealand.

## Deaths.

ALLAN.—August 25, 1895, at the residence of Mr. John Burnett, 159 George-street West, Sydney, James Allan, aged 22 years.

BOLGER.—August 24, at her residence, Denham-court, Ingleburn, Mary, dearly beloved wife of William Bolger, aged 54 years.

HYNARD.—August 25, 1895, at his residence, Stepney, Fulham-street, Enmore, Alfred Edward, the loving husband of Carrie Hynard, and youngest beloved son of the late Robert and Mary Hynard. R.I.P.

INGERSOLE.—August 23, Thomas Ingersole died at St. Vincent's Hospital, age 73 years. Bathurst papers please copy.

MACARTHUR.—August 26, 1895, at the residence of her son-in-law, Mr. W. P. Humphreys, The Avenue, Hurstville, Sarah Macarthur, relict of the late William Macarthur, of Wagga.

MORTON.—August 26, at Numba, Shoalhaven, Henry Gordon Morton, aged 67.

## In Memoriam.

BIGGS.—In tribute to the memory of Bessie, dearly loved wife of William Biggs; died August 27th, 1893.

BOYLE.—In fond and loving memory of Charles Joseph Boyle, died 27th August, 1888. "Jesus have mercy on his soul." Inserted by a friend—Mary Condon.

FLINDALL.—In loving memory of my only beloved son, John David, who departed this life August 27, 1886, aged 21 years. Inserted by his fond mother.

GREEN.—In loving remembrance of my beloved husband, James Martin Green, who departed this life at 11 Jersey-terrace, Lower Domain, on August 26, 1894, in his 70th year. At rest. Mary Green.

MATTHEWS.—In loving memory of my dear husband, James Matthews, who died at his residence, Clutha, Livingstone-road, Marrickville, 26th August, 1893.

## Return Thanks.

Mrs. M. SMITH desires to return her heartfelt THANKS to the Doctors and Nurses of the Prince Alfred Hospital for their untiring attentions to her late husband; also to other kind friends for their expressions of sympathy and floral tributes.

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FOR LONDON,
Touching at the usual intermediate ports en route.

| Steamer. | Tons. | Commander. | Leave Sydney. | Leave Melbourne. | Leave Adelaide. |
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| *Parramatta | 4874 | P. Harris | Sept. 2 | Sept. 7 | Sept. 11 |
| Australia | 7000 | I. Reeves | Sept. 16 | Sept. 21 | Sept. 25 |
| Massilia | 5016 | R. Harvey | Sept. 30 | Oct. 5 | Oct. 9 |
| *Arcadia | 6670 | A. C. Loggin | Oct. 14 | Oct. 19 | Oct. 23 |

And thenceforward every alternate week.
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| Steamer. | Command'r. | Date of Departure. Sydney noon | Melbourne 1 p.m. | Adelaide 6 a.m. |
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| AUSTRALIEN | Didier | Aug. 27 | Aug. 31 | Sept. 3 |
| VILLE DE LA CIOTAT | Fiaschi | Sep. 27 | Oct. 1 | Oct. 3 |
| POLYNESIEN | Boulard | Oct. 27 | Oct. 31 | Nov. 2 |
| ARMAND BEHIC | Poydenot | Nov. 27 | Dec. 1 | Dec. 3 |

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| Steamer. | Tons | Leave Sydney. | Leave Melbourne | Leave Ad'l'ide 8 a.m. |
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| | | 1895. | 1895. | 1895. |
| Sachsen | [illegible] | Sept. 9 | Sept. 14 | Sept. 18 |
| Gera | 5020 | Oct. 7 | Oct. 12 | Oct. 16 |
| Darmstadt | 5316 | Nov. 4 | Nov. 9 | Nov. 13 |
| Bayern | 5342 | Dec. 2 | Dec. 7 | Dec. 11 |
| | | | 1896. | 1896. |
| Prinz-Regent Luitpold | 3700 | Dec. 30 | Jan. 4 | Jan. 8 |
| | | 1896. | | |
| Oldenburg | 5318 | Jan. 27 | Feb. 1 | Feb. 5 |
| Karlsruhe | 5342 | Feb. 24 | March 1 | Mar. 4 |

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| ABERDEEN | A. T. Wills | 3700 | Aug. 30 |
| AUSTRALASIAN | T. F. Spalding | 3700 | Sept. 27 |
| DAMASCUS | A. H. G. Douglas | 3700 | Oct. 31 |
| NINEVEH | N. Allan | 3900 | Nov. 25 |
| THERMOPYLAE | A. Simpson | 3700 | Dec. 27 |

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| LIGURIA | 4648 | A. J. Cooper | Sept. 9 |
| ORMUZ | 6031 | F. M. Tuke, R.N.R. | Sept. 23 |

And Fortnightly thereafter.

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| ALAMEDA | Morse | Sept. 2 | Sept. 7 | Sept. 26 |
| MARIPOSA | Hayward | Sept. 30 | Oct. 5 | Oct. 24 |
| MONOWAI | Carey | Oct. 28 | Nov. 2 | Nov. 21 |

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For AUCKLAND (cargo only).—S.S. POHERUA, WEDNESDAY, August 28.

For WELLINGTON, LYTTELTON, DUNEDIN, and BLUFF, thence to HOBART and MELBOURNE (transhipping to outports).—S.S. WAIHORA, THURSDAY, August 29, at 5 p.m.

TASMANIA.

For HOBART—S.S. OONAH, MONDAY, September 2. (See special advertisement.)

Passengers and Cargo booked through to STRAHAN.

For LAUNCESTON and N.W. COAST PORTS (Devonport, Stanley, and Burnie), via EDEN—S.S. PUKAKI, THURSDAY, August 29, at noon.

SOUTH SEA ISLANDS.

For SUVA (Fiji), APIA (Samoa), VAVAU, HAAPAI, and NUKUALOFA (Tonga).—S.S. TAVIUNI, WEDNESDAY, September 11.

From MELBOURNE.

NEW ZEALAND PORTS and HOBART—S.S. WAKATIPU, SATURDAY, August 31, at 1 p.m.

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| FOR MELBOURNE | Aramac, This Day, 5 p.m., Aug. 27 |
| ADELAIDE | Bulimba, early |
| W. AUSTRALIAN PORTS | Bulimba, early |
| BRISBANE | Wodonga, This Day, 5 p.m., Aug. 27; Eurimbla, Friday, 5 p.m., Aug. 30 |
| MARYBOROUGH | Wodonga, This Day, 5 p.m., Aug. 27; Eurimbla, Friday, 5 p.m. Aug. 30 |
| BUNDABERG GLADSTONE | Wodonga, This Day, 5 p.m., Aug. 27 |
| ROCKHAMPTON | Wodonga, This Day, 5 p.m., Aug. 27; Eurimbla, Friday, 5 p.m., Aug. 30 |
| MACKAY, BOWEN, TOWNSVILLE, via all ports, to COOKTOWN | Wodonga, This Day, 5 p.m., Aug. 27 |
| T'VILLE, C'TOWN, THURSDAY I'L'D, NORMANTON, BURKETOWN | Maranoa, Friday, 5 p.m., Sept. 6 |
| NOUMEA, SUVA, LEVUKA (FIJI) | Birksgate, Friday, 11 p.m., Aug. 30 |
| NEW HEBRIDES | Katoomba, W'd'sday, 9 p.m., Aug. 28 |

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| SHIP. | DATE. |
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| ANGLIAN | WEDNESDAY, 18th September, at 4 p.m. |

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| FOR MELBOURNE | Tyrian, Saturday, Aug. 31, 1 p.m. |
| PORT PIRIE, ADELAIDE, ALBANY, FREMANTLE, GERALDTON | Konoowarra, leaves Melbourne Saturday, August 31, 2 p.m. |
| BRISBANE, MARYBOROUGH, BUNDABERG, ROCKHAMPTON | Barrabool, This Day, 5 p.m.; Peregrine, Saturday, Aug. 31, 2 p.m. |
| MACKAY, TOWNSVILLE | Peregrine, Saturday, Aug. 31, 2 p.m.; Tyrian, Saturday, Sept. 7, 2 p.m. |

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| For BRISBANE, MACKAY, TOWNSVILLE, and Ports North to CAIRNS. | S.S. FRANKLIN, SATURDAY, AUGUST 31, at noon. |

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| | Saloon. Single. | Saloon. Return. | Steerage. |
|---|---|---|---|
| BRISBANE | £1 0 0 | £1 15 0 | £0 8 0 |
| MACKAY | 3 0 0 | 5 0 0 | 2 0 0 |
| TOWNSVILLE | 3 10 0 | 5 10 0 | 2 5 0 |

PASSAGE RATES TO SOUTHERN PORTS.

| | Saloon. Single. | Saloon. Return. | Steerage. |
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| MELBOURNE | £1 10 0 | £2 5 0 | £0 10 0 |
| ADELAIDE | 3 0 0 | 5 0 0 | 1 5 0 |

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MANLY—7.15, 8.10, 8.45, 9.45, 10.30, 11.30 a.m., 12.30, 1.30, 2.30, 3.30, 4.0, 4.30, 5.30, 6.0, 6.30, 7.0, 8.30, 9.30, 10.15, 11.15 p.m.

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IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.—Probate Jurisdiction.—In the Will of PATRICK HOBAN, late of Nemingha, in the colony of New South Wales, Farmer, deceased.—NOTICE is hereby given that the Accounts in the above Estate have this day been filed in my office, Chancery-square, Sydney, and all persons having any claim on the said Estate, or being otherwise interested therein, are hereby required to come in before me at my said office on or before the ninth day of September, at 11 o'clock in the forenoon, and inspect the same, and if they shall think fit object thereto; otherwise, if the said accounts be not objected to, the same will be examined by me and passed according to law. And Notice is hereby also given that on the allowance of the said Accounts by the Court, commission will be applied for on behalf of the Executor of the said Will. Dated this 17th day of August, in the year 1895. For the Registrar, R. C. MONDAY (l.s.), Deputy Registrar. JOHN PATTERSON, Proctor, Tamworth.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES. Probate Jurisdiction. In the Will of MARY ANN JONES, late of Marrickville, in the colony of New South Wales, Widow, deceased.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Second and Final Accounts and Plan of Distribution in the above Estate have this day been filed in my office, Chancery-square, Sydney, and all persons having any claim on the said estate, or being otherwise interested therein, are hereby required to come in before me on or before the twelfth day of September next, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon, and inspect the same, and if they shall think fit object thereto; otherwise, if the said accounts be not objected to the same will be examined by me and passed according to law.

Dated this twenty-sixth day of August, 1895.

R. MONDAY (Seal), Deputy Registrar.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.—Probate Jurisdiction.—In the Will and Codicil of SYDNEY WILLIAM MURRAY, late of Ashfield, near Sydney, in the colony of New South Wales, Freeholder, deceased.—APPLICATION will be made after fourteen days from the publication hereof that Probate of the last Will and Codicil thereto of the abovenamed deceased may be granted to ALICE MURRAY, of Ashfield aforesaid, the Widow and Executrix in the said Will named, GEORGE MASSETT LAURENCE, the Executor in the said Will and Codicil named, having duly renounced Probate and execution thereof. LAURENCE and RICH, Proctors for the said Executrix, 13 Castlereagh-st., Sydney.

IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.—Probate Jurisdiction.—In the Estate of HENRY DOWNEY, late of Terry Hie Hie, near Moree, in the colony of New South Wales, Labourer, deceased.—APPLICATION will be made after fourteen days from the publication hereof that Letters of Administration, with the Will annexed, of the Estate of the abovenamed deceased, may be granted to JOHN EDWARD CORY, of Terry Hie Hie aforesaid, Station Manager, the lawful Father and Guardian of CECIL CORY and BESSIE MAUDE NORA CORY, Minors, the beneficiaries in the said Will named, limited until one of such beneficiaries shall attain the age of twenty-one years. P. E. STIRTON, Proctor for Administrator, Moree. By his Agents—VILLENEUVE-SMITH and DAWES, 30 Castlereagh-street, Sydney.

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IN THE SUPREME COURT OF NEW SOUTH WALES.—Probate Jurisdiction.—In the Will of JANET M'KENZIE, late of Invermay, near Launceston, in the colony of Tasmania, Widow, deceased, and the Codicil thereto.—APPLICATION will be made after fourteen days from the publication hereof that the Probate granted in the colony of Tasmania may be sealed with the Seal of this Court.

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## Public Notices.

NOTICE is hereby given that it is the intention of the Council of the Borough of Redfern to apply to Parliament during its present session for a Bill to give powers to the Council of the Borough of Redfern to light the streets and public places of the said Borough with the Electric Light, and to supply Electricity within or without the limits of the said Borough, and to levy rates and make charges in respect of such lighting and supply, and for the purposes aforesaid to acquire land, and the right to use patents and acquire or construct works, and break open streets, remove obstructions, and lay down or erect electric lines, and to borrow money, enter into contracts, sell or lease fittings, and do other matters incidental to such lighting and supply: And to enable Corporations, Boroughs, and Municipal Districts without the limits of the said Borough of Redfern to participate in the benefits of such supply, and to empower the Municipal Councils of such Corporations, Boroughs, and Municipal Districts to give consents, enter into contracts, and levy rates in respect of such supply, and to amend the one hundred and fifty-third, one hundred and sixty-fifth, and one hundred and ninetieth and other sections of the "Municipalities Act of 1867" so far as may be necessary for the purposes aforesaid, and to impose certain penalties and otherwise protect the Council from being defrauded, impeded or harassed in the exercise of the aforesaid powers, and to make provision for the safety of the public: And to authorise the said Council of the Borough of Redfern to sell or lease the whole of the electric lighting plant, including lands and buildings, and to amend the law in other respects.

Dated this twenty-sixth day of August, 1895.

THOMAS MICHAEL SLATTERY, Solicitor for the Bill, London Bank of Australia-chambers, Pitt and Market streets, Sydney.

NOTICE is hereby given that the INCUMBENT and the majority of the CHURCHWARDENS and of the Parochial Council of the Ecclesiastical District of Sydney, and parish of St. Luke's, Berry, intend to apply to the Synod of the Diocese of Sydney for an Ordinance directing the Parcel of LAND hereunder described, with the buildings thereon, to be MORTGAGED for the sum of £450 (four hundred and fifty pounds), or such other sums repayable with interest at such rate upon such days and times and generally in such manner as to the said Synod shall seem fit.

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## Religious Announcements.

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A MEETING to welcome the Rev. GERARD TROWER, M.A., will be held at the Schools, Pitt-street, THIS EVENING, at 8.

METHODIST Union Demonstration, Centenary Hall, Thursday.—Cards of Admission, Wesleyan Book D.

CHURCH OF ENGLAND TEMPERANCE SOCIETY.—Annual MEETINGS TO-DAY:—1. Church Home, in the Chapter-house, at 3.30 p.m.; Very Rev. the Dean will preside; speakers, Rev. A. W. Pain, J. H. Mullens, H. M. Trickett, and Dr. Rutledge. 2. Annual Festival Service of C. E. T. S., in the Cathedral, at 7 p.m.; preacher, Rev. Hugh W. Taylor. 3. Annual Meeting C. E. T. S., Chapter-house, 8 p.m.; Very Rev. the Dean will preside; speakers, Revs. J. W. Gillett, W. H. Holliday, E. D. Madgwick, and J. S. M'Gowen, Esq., M.L.A.

WOMEN'S CHRISTIAN TEMPERANCE UNION.—Lecture Entertainment THIS DAY, TUESDAY, at 8 p.m., in the Centenary Hall, York-street, COUSIN JACK'S LAND, by the Rev. E. TREMAYNE DUNSTAN, and the Æolian Glee Party. Cornish Life told in Song and Story. Admission, 1s.

PETERSHAM WOMEN'S PRAYER UNION. Special MEETINGS TO-DAY, Tuesday, Congregational School Hall, Railway-street. Conference, 3 p.m. Evangelistic Meeting, 7.45 p.m. All welcome.

YOUNG MEN'S CHRISTIAN ASSOCIATION. "Unanswerable Argument for Christianity." Third LECTURE of Modern Unbelief Course to Young Men, TO-NIGHT, at 7.45, by Rev. JNO. FORDYCE, M.A. Chairman, W. Winn, Esq. Ladies admitted. DAVID WALKER, Gen. Sec.

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ROBERTSON MONUMENT.—Committee MEETING, 7.30, THIS (Tuesday) EVENING, at 137 King-st.

ANNUAL General MEETING of Wentworth Park Cricket Association will be held at Glebe Town Hall, FRIDAY, 30th instant, at 8 o'clock. J. H. SULLIVAN, Hon. Sec. W.P.C.A.

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The Treasury, New South Wales, 24th August, 1895.

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FRESH TENDERS (upon a new basis) will be received at the Treasury up to NOON of FRIDAY, the 30th instant, for the above Service, for a period of seven calendar months from the 1st proximo.

Tender forms may be obtained from the Secretary to the Tender Board, at The Treasury, who will also supply all necessary information.

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Tenders addressed to the Under-Secretary for Finance and Trade, and endorsed "Tender for Forage—Metropolitan District," must be deposited in the Tender Box, in the Under-Secretary's Room, at The Treasury, before noon on the date named above, or, if sent by post, must reach The Treasury by the first morning delivery on that day.
937 G. H. REID.

Postal and Electric Telegraph Department, General Post Office, Sydney, 16th August, 1895.

ATTENTION is directed to Gazette Notice inviting TENDERS for the DISMANTLING of the Top Wire on the TELEGRAPH POLES between Deniliquin and Moulamein, and Replacing Same with New Wire, and for Erecting Poles.

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Department of Public Works, Government Architect's Branch, Sydney, 26th August, 1895.

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INGLIS and SON'S HORSE BAZAAR.
THIS DAY, at half-past 10 sharp.

WILLIAM INGLIS and SON will sell by auction, at their BAZAAR, THIS DAY, the following:—
At half-past 10 o'clock,
Vans, springcarts, buggies, and harness
Draught horses, tipdrays, and harness.
At 12 o'clock,
Superior draught mares and geldings
Well-bred saddle and harness horses
Van, 'bus, and saddle horses. Telephone, 1331.

FIVE USEFUL SADDLE and HARNESS HORSES.

WILLIAM INGLIS and SON have received instructions from Mr. E. MURRAY to sell by auction, at their Bazaar, THIS DAY, at 12 o'clock,
Five useful saddle and harness horses, being disposed of on account of no further use for them. Without Reserve.

PIANO-BOX BUGGY.

WILLIAM INGLIS and SON have received instructions from Mr. J. HULL to sell by auction, at their Bazaar, THIS DAY, at 12 o'clock,
Piano-box buggy, almost new.

FIVE HORSES, HARNESS, OMNIBUS CAR, also Springcart, and Right-of-Road from Auburn to Parramatta.

WILLIAM INGLIS and SON have received instructions from Mr. G. WARREN to sell by auction, at their Bazaar, THIS DAY, at 12 o'clock,
Five reliable horses, four sets harness, omnibus car, with right of-road from Auburn to Parramatta, also a springcart.

TO WAREHOUSEMEN and OTHERS.

WILLIAM INGLIS and SON have received instructions from Mr. P. CLEAREY to sell by auction, at their Bazaar, THIS DAY, at 12 o'clock,
Box cart, with tilt; suit warehousemen.

ACTIVE DARK CHESTNUT VAN MARE.

WILLIAM INGLIS and SON have received instructions from Mr. E. LITTLEY to sell by public auction, at their Bazaar, THIS DAY, at 12 o'clock,
Very active dark chestnut van mare, subject to trial; only sold being too heavy for present owner's work.

WELL-BRED CHESTNUT MARE, BY MIDDLESEX.

WILLIAM INGLIS and SON have received instructions from the owner to sell by auction, at their Bazaar, THIS DAY, at 12 o'clock,
Well-bred chestnut mare, 6 years, by Middlesex; a splendid hack, and carries a lady.

STYLISH PONY TURNOUT, for SALE TO-DAY, at 12 noon, at
WM. INGLIS and SON'S BAZAAR.

RACING PONY IDDITE.—WILLIAM INGLIS and SON have received instructions from the owner to sell by auction, at their Bazaar, THIS DAY, at 12 o'clock, Iddite, the well-known racing pony. Pedigree, &c., at sale.

HORSES. HORSES. HORSES.
CAMPERDOWN YARDS.
THIS DAY, TUESDAY, AUGUST 27, at 2.30 p.m.
40 SUPERIOR SOUTH COUNTRY HORSES 40.

WILLIAM INGLIS and SON have received instructions from Messrs. Mooney and Marshall to sell by auction, THIS DAY, at 2.30 p.m.,
40 superior South Country horses, comprising heavy and active draughts, and upstanding well-bred light horses with substance and quality, broken and unbroken, in splendid condition.

*,* Among the lot is one very handsome grey gelding, a great jumper; also, a splendid pony, broken to saddle and harness; two buy geldings, superior hacks and splendid jumpers.

THE ABOVE ARE DESCRIBED AS A FIRST-CLASS LOT, THE DRAUGHT PORTION BEING FROM FAITHFULL'S WELL-KNOWN STUD, AND THE LIGHT PORTION ARE A CAREFULLY SELECTED LOT.

CAMPERDOWN YARDS.
THIS DAY, TUESDAY.

WILLIAM INGLIS and SON have received instructions from Messrs. BRITTON and DONOHOE, Hay, to sell by auction, at the Camperdown Yards, THIS DAY, Tuesday, at 12 o'clock,
20 very superior draught and light harness horses, all broken in, and a SPECIALLY GOOD LOT.

MAGIC CLEANSER v. Dirt.—Verdict for the plaintiff, with an order for more soap.

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## Auction Sales.

HORSES. HORSES. HORSES.
CAMPERDOWN YARDS.
TO-MORROW, WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 28.
50 REALLY FIRST-CLASS HORSES 50
from
Messrs. CLIFT BROTHERS' CELEBRATED BREEZA ESTATE.

WILLIAM INGLIS and SON have received instructions from Messrs. Clift Brothers, Breeza, to sell by auction, at the Camperdown Yards, TO-MORROW, WEDNESDAY, 28th AUGUST, at 2.30 p.m.,
50 really first-class horses, bearing the well-known SC over 7 brand, and consisting of heavy and medium draughts and upstanding light harness and saddle horses, with breeding, size, and quality, 4 and 5 years old.

THE ABOVE WILL BE FOUND A SUPERIOR LOT, AND AS THE SC OVER 7 BRAND OF HORSES IS SO WELL AND FAVOURABLY KNOWN, FURTHER COMMENT IS UNNECESSARY.

CAMPERDOWN YARDS.
TO-MORROW, WEDNESDAY, 28th AUGUST.

WILLIAM INGLIS and SON have received instructions from Mr. GEO. WEST, WAGGA, to sell by auction, at the Camperdown Yards, TO-MORROW, WEDNESDAY, August 28, at 2.30 p.m.,
12 first-class draught colts, all one brand, 4 years old.

*,* Among the above are six dapple greys, which comprise some beautifully matched pairs.

HORSES, VEHICLES, and HARNESS.
GEORGE KISS will sell by auction, at the Bazaar, THIS DAY, at 11 o'clock,
All lots not specially advertised.
And at 12 o'clock,
All lots specially advertised.
Regular Sales at the Bazaar daily, and at Camperdown or elsewhere any afternoon.
LIVERY.—In this department charges moderate and best of forage.

SHETLAND PONY MARE.
GEORGE KISS will sell by auction, at the Bazaar, THIS DAY, Tuesday, at 12 o'clock,
Shetland pony mare, broken to saddle and harness, quiet to trams, and used to children.

TO PRIVATE GENTLEMEN AND OTHERS.
GEORGE KISS has received instructions from Mr. R. BECKETT to sell by auction, at the Bazaar, THIS DAY, Tuesday, at 12 o'clock,
Very handsome pair of black ponies, broken to saddle, s. and d. harness, are very quiet, good goers, and a splendid match
Set of double harness.

3 SADDLE AND HARNESS HORSES.
GEORGE KISS has received instructions from Mr. R. GRIFFITHS, Camden, to sell by auction, at the Bazaar, THIS DAY, Tuesday, at 12 o'clock,
3 useful upstanding saddle and harness horses, in good condition, and subject to trial.

FRESH COUNTRY MARE.
GEORGE KISS has received instructions from Mr. W. MACDONNELL, Wollongong, to sell by auction, at the Bazaar, THIS DAY, Tuesday, at 12 o'clock,
Chestnut mare, 6 years, by Sea King, broken to single and double harness, and is a splendid hack.

2 MILCH COWS.
GEORGE KISS has received instructions from Mr. F. Duffy, Hunter River, to sell by auction, at the Bazaar, THIS DAY, TUESDAY, at 12 o'clock,
2 cows, with calves, both are quiet, and good milkers.

HORSE, SPRINGCART, AND HARNESS.
GEORGE KISS has received instructions from Mr. J. Stevens to sell by auction, at the Bazaar, THIS DAY, TUESDAY, at 12 o'clock,
Horse, springcart, and harness.

GEORGE KISS will sell This Afternoon at 3 o'clock, on account of Mr. Giles, 15 brn. Leghorn pullets.

GEORGE KISS wants to Buy a number of well-bred PONIES, 14 to 14.2 high, 4 years old.

ELLIS and CO. have received instructions from J. Moore, Esq., Meadow Flat, to sell by auction, at Camperdown, TO-MORROW, Wednesday, at half-past 2 o'clock,
10 superior heavy draught colts.
The above are a really good lot.

SYDNEY WOOL-SELLING BROKERS' ASSOCIATION.
SALES BY AUCTION will be held TO-DAY, TUESDAY, as under:—
LEATHER.—At their Stores, at 11 a.m., Harrison, Jones, and Devlin, Ld.; Winchcombe, Carson, and Co.; New Zealand and Mercantile Agency Co., Ld.
SHEEPSKINS.—At the Wool Exchange, Macquarie-place, at 11.30 a.m.
BARK.—At the various Stores, at 2 p.m.

METROPOLITAN Meat Market, Hay-st.—Auction Sale, This Day, at 12 o'clock, Beef, Mutton, Pigs.

SEAFORTH PROCTER will sell by auction, THIS DAY, at Darling Harbour Station, at 9 o'clock, Wood. At Produce Market, 741 George-street, at 3 o'clock, Turkeys, geese, ducks, fowls, pigeons, birds
150 cases superior duck and hen eggs
Butter, cheese, bacon, lard, honey, fruit, sundries.

POULTRY, PIG, AND DAIRY PRODUCE SALE.
HOSKINS and CO. will sell at their Yards, Thomas-street, off Haymarket, THIS DAY, at 3 o'clock sharp, 348 pairs of PRIME TABLE POULTRY, comprising fowls, ducks, turkeys, and geese. Also, large consignments of LOCAL FARMERS' hen and duck eggs, guaranteed fresh; maize, and potatoes, 1 sulky, 1 waggonette, harness, and sundries. Terms, Spot Cash.

TO PRODUCE MERCHANTS, SPECULATORS, AND OTHERS.
NEALE and CO. have received instructions from W. Valentine and Co. to sell by auction on WEDNESDAY NEXT, August 28th, at 2 o'clock, at the Waverley Produce Stores, New South Head-road, the Goodwill and Stock and Working Plant of the above, consisting of 2 horses, carts, and harness, Avery scale (1cwt.), scoop scale, coal scale (nearly new), s.s. b. buggy and harness and pony, 1 hay, chaff, and corn, and about 100 pair of mixed poultry, coops, bins, &c. No reserve. Terms at sale.

THIS DAY, at 11 o'clock.
JOHN P. LISTER will sell by auction, at his Rooms, 247A Pitt-street, the unredeemed pledges pawned with Mr. J. Davis, of the Cambridge Loan Office, 26 Park-street,
comprising
Single stone, half-hoop, and cluster diamond rings
Gold and silver chronographs, lever and Waltham watches
Gold alberts, necklets, bracelets, and bangles
Lockets, brooches, and earrings
Pins, studs, links, and solitaires
Trinkets, &c.

CLEARING-OUT SALE of a FIRST-CLASS BUTCHERING ESTABLISHMENT.
ELLIS and CO. have received instructions from Mr. E. Bridges to SELL by auction, on the premises, 83 William-street, Woolloomooloo, THIS DAY, at half-past 2 o'clock,
The whole Working Plant of the above well-known Retail Butchering Business. Two Horses, Carts, and Harness, Saddle and Bridle, Horse (fast trotter), Buggy and Harness nearly new—a Very Stylish Turnout.
The above is one of the best retail shops in the city, being put on the market owing to the owner retiring from business. Will be sold without reserve, and well worthy of the attention of purchasers requiring a profitable business.

GENUINE UNRESERVED SALE BY AUCTION.
To Dealers, Grocers, Private People, &c.
TAYLOR and CO. have received instructions from John Hamblin, Esq., J.P., who has let his premises to a Dr. and is retiring from business, to sell by public auction THIS DAY, AUGUST 27th instant.
The whole of his splendid stock of first-class groceries, consisting of large quantity of teas, &c., also counters and shelving, drawers, tea boxes on rollers, window sashes; also, horse, covered cart, and harness, saddles, &c.
Numerous sundries, tools, casks and yard utensils, weights and scales (4), platform ditto ditto, &c., &c.
N.B.—Special attention is called to the superior quality and workmanship of the counters, 7 drawers, shelving of polished cedar, and glass cases, desks, &c., &c.
Sale 11 o'clock sharp, THIS DAY, on the Premises, corner of Erskineville-road and Wilson-street, near Newtown railway station.
Also,
Splendid turnout horse, buggy, and harness. No Reserve.
Mr. Hamblin has also decided to sell his 2 complete chests of carpenters' tools, a very superior lot, at 11 sharp.
Absolutely No Reserve. Terms, cash. Horse, Cart, and Harness and Yard Sundries to be sold first.
TAYLOR and CO., Auctioneers and Valuators, 155 King-street, Newtown.

In a Deceased Estate. THIS DAY, at 11.
MIDDLETON and CO. are instructed to sell by auction, at 81 Wellington-st., Mount Carmel, Redfern, large overmantel, large horsehair couch and chairs, cedar tables, pictures, crockery, bedstead, feather bed, cutlery, furniture, &c.
Terms, Cash. No Reserve.

THIS DAY, at 2.30.
MIDDLETON and CO. sell by auction, at 71 Regent-st., Sydney, roller mangle, overmantel, bedsteads, bedding, clothing, boots, and sund. Terms, Cash. No reserve.

AUCTION SALE at MANLY.
THIS DAY, TUESDAY, AUGUST 27, at 11 a.m.
ROBT. F. ROYAN has received instructions from Messrs. Thos. Waugh and Co., cabinetmakers, who are moving to more central premises, to make a clearance sale by auction of the Household Furniture and Effects, the stock-in-trade of a cabinetmaker, on the premises, Whistler-street, Manly, being vacated by them.
Terms, Cash. No Reserve.
R. F. ROYAN, Auctioneer.

THE MAGIC CLEANSER for Saturday night's scrub and Monday morning's wash.

THE "ANCHOR" BRAND
SELF-RAISING FLOUR.
THE VERY PERFECTION OF EXCELLENCE.

## Auction Sales.

THIS DAY, 27th AUGUST, at 11.30 a.m.
FOR ABSOLUTE SALE BY AUCTION.
Ex S.S. Parramatta and other steamers.
NEW SEASON'S CEYLON TEAS.
Under Instructions from the Importers.
320 PACKAGES MEDIUM TO FINE.
PEKOE SOUCHONGS, PEKOES and BROKEN PEKOES.
On account of
Messrs. GERBER, MICHAUT, and CO.
125 PACKAGES MEDIUM TO FINE
CEYLON TEAS.
And, to Close Accounts,
53 HALF-CHESTS
FOOCHOW TEAS,
Season 1894-1895.
To Tea Importers, Merchants, Grocers, &c.

HARRIS and ACKMAN will SELL the ABOVE BY AUCTION, at the MART, 199 PITT-STREET, THIS DAY, 27th AUGUST, at 11.30 a.m.
Terms at Sale.
Full Particulars in Catalogue.

THIS DAY, AUGUST 27, AT 11 A.M.
AT REAR OF AUCTION MART.
CONTINUATION SALE BY AUCTION, of the
SALVAGE STOCK from the RECENT FIRE at
Messrs. J. P. WRIGHT and CO.'S, Elizabeth-street.
Removed to the MART for convenience of Sale.

MANUFACTURED BOOTS and SHOES, including BALMORALS, E.S. BLUCHERS, COSSACKS
LADIES' KID and CALF BOOTS IN EVERY MAKE
LADIES' OXFORD, STRAP, and EVENING SHOES
MEN'S OXFORD and DERBY SHOES and SLIPPERS
BOYS' and YOUTHS' BLUCHERS and BALMORALS
Also,
AN IMMENSE ASSORTMENT of UNCOMPLETED BOOTS and SHOES of all descriptions
About 10,000 pairs LEATHER SOLES, Machine Cut
Ditto 5000 ditto BOOT UPPERS of every description.
MANUFACTURERS' STOCK OF GRINDERY AND REQUISITES, including
BOOT LININGS, HEEL PIECES, HEEL and TOE TIPS SPRIGS
HUNGARIAN NAILS, STEEL POINTS, BRASS RIVETS PEGS, TACKS, WIRE NAILS, and OTHER REQUISITES
10 pieces HEAVY CANVAS for MAKING BOOTS.
TO BOOT MANUFACTURERS, BOOT BUYERS, AND COUNTRY STOREKEEPERS.

HARRIS and ACKMAN will sell the above goods by AUCTION, at their MART (in the Store at the rear of the Saleroom), 199 PITT-STREET, THIS DAY, 27th AUGUST, at 11 a.m.
TERMS AT SALE.

THIS DAY, AUGUST 27, at half-past 2 o'clock in the afternoon.
EXTENSIVE SALE BY AUCTION of
SUPERIOR COLONIAL-MADE FURNITURE, comprising
CEDAR and PINE CHESTS of DRAWERS, Combination and Portable;
PAIRS of CEDAR and PINE TOILETS, with Marble Tops;
HANDSOME CEDAR BOOKCASES, Plate-glass Doors, with Drawers and Cupboards;
OFFICE TABLES and DESKS, TOILET TABLES, Kitchen Tables, Kitchen Dressers, Pine Safes,
ELEGANT CEDAR and PINE BEDROOM SUITES, Cedar and Pine Chiffoniers, Cedar Chiffonier Safes,
DINING TABLES, Single and Double Washstands;
LARGE CEDAR SIDEBOARDS, with Bevelled Plate-glass Backs, and fitted with Drawers, Cellarettes, &c.;
PINE and CEDAR WARDROBES, with Bevelled Plate-glass Doors.
SUITES OF FRAMEWORK.
HANDSOME OVERMANTELS, MIRRORS, &c., in Walnut and Black-and-Gold Frames, &c., &c., &c.
To Ladies and Gentlemen Furnishing, Furniture Warehousemen, Commission Brokers, &c., &c.

HARRIS and ACKMAN will hold the above EXTENSIVE SALE BY AUCTION, at the MART, 199 PITT-STREET, THIS DAY, 27th AUGUST, at half-past 2 o'clock in the afternoon.
TERMS, CASH.

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 28, AT 11 A.M.
FOR UNRESERVED SALE BY AUCTION.
On Account of Whom it may Concern.
With all faults, if any.
SALVAGE GOODS.
Ex s.s. Orient, from London.
3 Cases SADDLERS' IRONMONGERY.
3160—1 CASE BUCKLES, 200 gross Tinned, Japanned, and Nickelled.
3161—1 CASE SUNDRIES, containing Spring Bars, Saddlers' Beading, Buckles, Ornaments, Mane Combs, Staples, D; Saddle Staples, Martingale, Rings, Dog Collars, D's, and Connecting Links.
3147—1 CASE DANDY BRUSHES and HORSE BRUSHES.
1 Cask CHAFF-CUTTING KNIVES and REAPER SECTIONS.
To Saddlers, Harnessmakers, Ironmongers, &c.

HARRIS and ACKMAN will sell the ABOVE BY AUCTION, at the MART, 199 PITT-STREET, on WEDNESDAY, 28th AUGUST, at 11 a.m.
TERMS AT SALE.

WEDNESDAY, 28th AUGUST, at 11 A.M.
For Unreserved Sale by Auction.
On Account of Whom it may Concern.
With all faults, if any.
SALVAGE GOODS.
Ex S.S. Orient, from London.
D. B. G.
S.
501—1 CASE SILVERWARE, containing "Benares" Table and Dessert Spoons and Forks
503—1 CASE CUTLERY, containing Table and Dessert Knives, Carvers, Pocket Knives, Scissors, &c.
521—1 CASE MEASURES, containing 50 Dozen Taper Hand, 4½in. 25 ditto ditto, 7in.
522—1 CASE BRENTON'S JAPANNED BOLTS, assorted
524—1 CASK MEDAL COIGNET GLUE
527—1 Case BLACKING
528—1 Ditto BLUE CUT TACKS
529—1 Ditto FINE COPAL VARNISH.
1 Case ROGERS' TABLE and DESSERT CUTLERY.
To Ironmongers, Shippers, Storekeepers, Dealers, &c.

HARRIS and ACKMAN will sell the ABOVE by AUCTION, at the MART, 199 PITT-STREET, on WEDNESDAY, 28th AUGUST, at 11 a.m.
Terms at Sale.

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 28, AT 11 A.M.
For Unreserved Sale by Auction.
On Account of Whom it may Concern.
With all Faults, if any.
SALVAGE GOODS.
Ex S.S. Orient, from London.
FG and Coy. in a Triangle.
21 Cases CHRISTMAS, FANCY, and TOBACCONISTS' GOODS.
1 Case PERFUMERY (in bond).
To Fancy Goods Warehousemen, Tobacconists, Chemists, Storekeepers, &c.

HARRIS and ACKMAN will sell the ABOVE BY AUCTION, at the Mart, 199 PITT-STREET, on WEDNESDAY, 28th AUGUST, at 11 A.M.
Terms at Sale.

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 28, at 11 A.M.
FOR UNRESERVED SALE BY AUCTION.
On Account of Whom it May Concern.
With all Faults, if any.
SALVAGE GOODS.
Ex S.S. "ORIENT," from LONDON.
801-8606—1 Case, containing ROCKING HORSE and BRIAR PIPES
801-8609—1 Case, containing ROCKING HORSE and BRIAR PIPES
801-8610—1 Case, containing WATERBURY WATCHES and BRIARWOOD PIPES and GAMES
801-8611—1 Case Silver-mounted COMBS and BRUSHES, PENCILS, ACCOUNT BOOKS, NICKEL WATERBURIES, and CIGARETTE MACHINE
801-8612—1 Case, ROCKING HORSE, TENNIS and FANCY GOODS
1160-21—1 Case BUTCHERS' KNIVES
1160-21A—1 Case BUTCHERS' STEELS and CLEAVERS.
To Fancy Goods Warehousemen, Tobacconists, Butchers, Dealers, &c.

HARRIS and ACKMAN will sell the ABOVE BY AUCTION, at the MART, 199 PITT-STREET, on WEDNESDAY, 28th AUGUST, at 11 a.m.
TERMS AT SALE.

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 28, AT 11 A.M.
FOR SALE BY AUCTION.
Ex "Pass of Balmaha."
77 CASES AXE, PICK, QUARRY, SLEDGE, and HAMMER HANDLES, assorted.
To Ironmongers, Country Storekeepers, Dealers, &c.

HARRIS and ACKMAN will sell the above by AUCTION, at the MART, 199 PITT-STREET, on WEDNESDAY, 28th AUGUST, AT 11 A.M.
TERMS AT SALE.

THE LIVERPOOL and LONDON and GLOBE POLICIES Protect the Insured against LOSS by GAS EXPLOSION.

## Auction Sales.

THURSDAY, AUGUST 29, at 11 A.M.
FOR UNRESERVED SALE BY AUCTION.
On Account of Whom it May Concern.
With all Faults, if any.
SALVAGE GOODS.
Ex S.S. ORIENT, from LONDON.
27 PACKAGES MERCHANDISE, as under:—
PB in a triangle.
1737—1 Case, 50 Pieces FANCY PRINTS
1773—1 Ditto, 24 Ditto SATEEN CRETONNES
123—1 Ditto, 60 Dozen HOLLAND APRONS
138-3—2 Bales, 42 Pieces CANVAS
201-2—2 Cases MEN'S COTTON and FLANNELETTE SHIRTS
203—1 Case MEN'S SHIRTS, COLLARS, BANDS, &c.
204—1 Case BOYS' SHIRTS, assorted sizes
205—1 Ditto MEN'S SHIRTS, Cotton, &c.
206—1 Ditto Ditto COLLARS and PKTS.
5427-8-9-30—4 Cases CORSETS
5426—1 Case DRESS GOODS
5427—1 Ditto, containing LADIES' CAPES, GOWNS, TUNICS, RIBBONS, NET VEILS
5428—1 Case, COTTON SHIRTS, RUFFLES, and VELVETEEN SETS
5429—1 Case, containing WHITE and OXFORD SHIRTS, COLLARS, HOSIERY, SCARFS, Aprons, Blouses, LADIES' HATS, Gloves, Belt Clasps, Artificial Flowers, FELT HATS
40 Rolls CANVAS.
G in square over S.
8868—1 Case CURTAINS
8871—1 Ditto LACE, BELTING, RIBBON, and MENDING WOOL
8895—1 Case LACE and VEILING
8889 to 8894 } 8896 to 8899 } 10 Cases HATS
856-7—2 Cases DRAPERY.
13 PACKAGES MERCHANDISE.
1 Case DRESSMAKERS' LINING
1 Ditto WHITE COTTON FANCY MATERIALS
1 Ditto MARBLE BAIZES
1 BALE CARPET FELTS
1 CASE "WOODROWS" HATS
2 CASES BLACK SAIS CLOTH
1 CASE OPERA MANTLES
3 BALES RUGS
2 CASES SUNDRIES.
To Drapers, Milliners, Storekeepers, Country Buyers, Speculators, Dealers, &c.

HARRIS and ACKMAN will sell the ABOVE BY AUCTION, at THE MART, 199 PITT-STREET, on THURSDAY, 29th AUGUST, at 11 a.m.
TERMS AT SALE.

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 28, at 11 a.m.
SALVAGE GOODS ex S.S. ORIENT.
ALL MORE OR LESS DAMAGED.
For Account of Whom it may Concern.
C in diamond C over Sydney—3 Cases 484 Pairs BOOTS, consisting of
LADIES' GLACE BALMORALS
Ditto DONGOLA
MEN'S CALF BALMORALS
CHILDREN'S and GIRLS' BALMORALS and E.S.
Also,
WFL over W in diamond over Sydney.
65-69—5 Cases SHOES, ex Orient, all more or less damaged.
TO BE SOLD WITHOUT RESERVE.
For Account of Whom it may Concern.
Consisting of
CHILD'S WHITE HAIR CALF BALS. and GEM SHOES
Ditto PAT. STRAP and CROWN SHOES
WOMEN'S DONGOLA COURT SHOES
Ditto PRINCESS MAY PAT. FRONT SHOES
Ditto SINGLE-BUTTON SHOES
Ditto GLACE OXOS. and BUTTON SHOES.
Also,
3 CASES BOOT-UPPER and LEATHER ex S.S. Orient, all more or less damaged.
To be sold without reserve.
For Account of Whom it may Concern.
Consisting of
RUSSIA CALF (single), KID and GLOVE HIDE, Bals.; also GLOVE KID, brown, grain, and dyed CALF LEATHER.
TO COUNTRY STOREKEEPERS AND THE TRADE GENERALLY.

W. J. MOXHAM and CO. have been favoured with instructions to sell, without reserve, for account of whom it may concern, at their Commercial Salerooms, 19 York-street, Wynyard-square, on WEDNESDAY, 28th August, at 11 a.m.,
The above damaged goods, ex s.s. Orient.
TERMS, CASH.

CARRIAGES, BUGGIES, and OTHER VEHICLES.
FIRST OF A SERIES OF WEEKLY SALES BY AUCTION.
To Professional Gentlemen, Merchants, Private Families, Livery Stable Keepers, and Others.
THIS DAY, TUESDAY, AUGUST 27.
6 very superior Buggies, with and without hoods, from eminent American builders.
1 elegant Victoria on C springs, by Windover, of Manchester.
1 very stylish Family Barouche, by Messrs. Vial and Son.
1 Family Sociable, by Messrs. Kearey Bros.
1 Ladies' Gadabout and 1 3-spring Sulky, by Henry Lloyd, of London.

W. J. MOXHAM and CO. are favoured with instructions to sell by auction, at their Commercial Sale Rooms, 19 York-street, Wynyard-square, THIS DAY, TUESDAY, AUGUST 27th, at 11 o'clock sharp, the above very superior Vehicles. TERMS, CASH.
N.B.—Importers, Manufacturers, or Private Parties wishing to dispose of Vehicles will please send particulars not later than Friday in each week.

ESTATE OF JAMES HORNE.
FRIDAY, AUGUST 30, at 11 a.m.
In the Rooms, 267 George-street.
BY ORDER OF THE OFFICIAL ASSIGNEE.
The Official Assignee's Right, Title, and Interest, if any, in and to the uncollected Book Debts in the above Estate, and amounting to £673 12s 3d.

C. F. W. LLOYD and CO. will sell by auction, as above, Terms, Cash.

BANKRUPT ESTATE OF J. L. S. GIBBS.
FRIDAY, AUGUST 30, at 11.30 a.m.
In the Rooms, 267 George-street.
BY ORDER OF THE OFFICIAL ASSIGNEE.
All that piece or parcel of Land, situate in the parish of Gordon and county of Cumberland, containing 2 acres 2 roods, being lots 1 to 7 inclusive, and lots 22, 23, and 24 of section 3 on a plan deposited in the Land Titles Office, Sydney, No. 1791.

C. F. W. LLOYD and CO. will sell by auction, as above, Terms, Cash.

BANKRUPT ESTATE OF F. NORRIS, trading as Norris Bros., of Forest Lodge, Manufacturers.
WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 4, at 11 a.m.
On the Premises,
CATHERINE-STREET, FOREST LODGE.
Under instructions from
W. H. PALMER, Esq., Official Assignee.
A LARGE, COMPLETE, and EXTENSIVE PLANT and STOCK
FOR UNRESERVED SALE, comprising
3 Steam Copper JACKETED PANS
8-H.P. HORIZONTAL ENGINE
2 DRIVING PULLEYS
GUILLOTINE MACHINE, 18-power PRESS, Power ROLLERS, PULPING MACHINE, Steam BATHS, WATER BATHS, CRIMPING MACHINE
GRINDING MILL, AVERY'S WEIGHING MACHINE
PIPE FITTINGS, LEATHER BELTS, PULLEYS.
OIL DRUMS, Pulp, Saltpetre, Lamps, Bottles
500,000 LABELS, Jams, Cordials, Sauces, Alum
OILS, ESSENCES, Corks, Soda, Acids, Pickles
BEANS, Patent Burners, Scrap Iron, Iron Tanks
LAMPS, SAGO, Dandelion, Cloves, Cinnamon,
OFFICE FURNITURE, IRON SAFE
HORSE, SULKY, and HARNESS
SPRING VAN, HORSE, and HARNESS.
To Machinery Buyers, Condiment Manufacturers, Grocers, and the Trade.

C. F. W. LLOYD and CO. have received instructions from W. H. Palmer, Esq., official assignee, to sell by public auction, on WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 4, at Forest Lodge, at 11 a.m., the above-described Machinery and stock.
Without Reserve. Terms, Cash.
Catalogues in course of preparation.
Offices: 267 George-street.

ESTATE OF E. B. WALLACE (deceased).
MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 2, at 11 a.m.
In the Rooms, 267 George-street.
By order of the Official Assignee.
The Official Assignee's Right, Title, and Interest (if any) in and to a one (1) foot Reserve along the northern side of Cadden-road, in a subdivision called Rogersville, near Penrith, parish of Claremont. Deposited plan number, 1544.

C. F. W. LLOYD and CO. will sell by auction as above. Terms, Cash.

ATTRACTIVE AUCTION SALE.
THURSDAY, 29th AUGUST, at 11 o'clock,
on the Premises,
Melrose, 80 Princes-street, city, near Grosvenor Hotel.
HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE and EFFECTS (of an 8-roomed house, all in good order).

M'INTYRE and HORNING, Auctioneers, Wood's-chambers, 3 Moore-street, city, will sell as above
WITHOUT RESERVE.

AUCTION SALE, ON THE PREMISES,
No. 332 PITT-STREET, on
THURSDAY Next, AUGUST 29, at 11 o'clock.
JAMES COWAN, 266 Pitt-street, will sell by auction,
400 sheets galvanised iron
Large quantity of leather
Stock of a Cabinet-maker, consisting of Cedar, pine, turnery, fittings, &c.
TERMS, CASH.

MORTGAGEE'S SALE BY AUCTION, NEXT SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 3, at 12 o'clock, NICE LITTLE ORCHARD PROPERTY, at Rydalmere, near Parramatta, 5 acres 1 perch. Title Perfect. Terms at Sale.
G. H. MOBBS, Auctioneer, Parramatta.

ASSOCIATION Grounds.—Splendid sight, the [illegible] white Dresses of ladies, washed by the Magic Cleanser.

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## Auction Sales.

SALVAGE EX ORIENT.

To the RETAIL BOOT TRADE, COUNTRY BUYERS, DEALERS, and OTHERS.

FOR ABSOLUTE SALE BY AUCTION.

On Account and RISK OF WHOM IT MAY CONCERN, with all faults, if any.

EX S.S. ORIENT.

AT THE ROOMS, 76 PITT-STREET, THIS DAY, TUESDAY, AUGUST 27, at 11 O'CLOCK SHARP.

JMcE&S in Block,
20 PACKAGES WOMEN'S BOOTS and SHOES.
6 Trunks each 48 pairs Women's Mk. Kid E.S., pat. toecap
4 Cases ditto ditto Brown Canvas Gipsy Shoes
4 Cases ditto ditto Black ditto ditto ditto
1 Ditto Children's Glace Button Boots
1 Ditto Boys' Satin Bals., 7-10
1 Ditto ditto ditto, 11-1
1 Ditto Ladies' Glace Bals., 3-7
1 Ditto Samples.
CC&CO.,
1 Ditto Men's and Women's Boots, assorted.

A. TRAVERSI and CO. have received instructions to sell the above, at their Rooms, 76 Pitt-street, THIS DAY, Tuesday, August 27, at 11 o'clock sharp.
ABSOLUTELY WITHOUT RESERVE.
TERMS, CASH.

TO THE WHOLESALE AND RETAIL BOOT TRADE, COUNTRY BUYERS, DEALERS, and OTHERS.

FOR UNRESERVED SALE BY AUCTION, at THE ROOMS, 76 PITT-STREET, THIS DAY, TUESDAY, AUGUST 27, at 11 O'CLOCK SHARP.

MEN'S, WOMEN'S, and CHILDREN'S BOOTS and SHOES, in
Men's Glove Kid and Tan Calf Bals., 5-10
Men's Kid Bals. and E.S., assorted, 5-10
Men's Split, Satin and Tan Bals. and Shoes, 5-10
Ladies' Glace Kid and Patent Vamp Bals., 3-7
Ladies' Glace Kid and Patent Evening Shoes
Ladies' Real Glace E.S., Vamp and Seam to toe, 3-7
Girls' Seal Strap Shoes, 7-10, 11-1
Ladies' Tan and Glace shoes, assorted
Infants' Boots and Shoes, assorted, 2-5
Boys' and Youths' Bals. and E.S., 7-10, 11-1.
Also,
LARGE ASSORTMENT OF COLONIAL MANUFACTURE.

A. TRAVERSI and CO. will sell the above, at their Rooms, 76 Pitt-street, THIS DAY, TUESDAY, AUGUST 27, at 11 o'clock sharp.
TERMS AT SALE.

SALVAGE, EX S.S. ORIENT.
BW&CO. IN DIAMOND.
AT THE ROOMS, 76 PITT-STREET, ON THURSDAY NEXT, AUGUST 29, at 11 o'clock sharp.
ON ACCOUNT OF WHOM IT MAY CONCERN (with all faults if any).
30 Cases 8 x 4 Nairn's Best Linoleums
10 Ditto 4 x 4 ditto ditto ditto (Bordered)
20 Ditto 6 x 4 Painted Backs
3 Ditto Borderings (Nairn's Best)
2 Ditto Crockett's Best American Cloth
1 Ditto Silk Plush, Furnishing, and Trimmings
Bagatelle Board complete.

A. TRAVERSI and CO. will sell the above at their Rooms, 76 Pitt-street, on THURSDAY NEXT, 29th AUGUST, at 11 o'clock sharp.
TERMS, CASH.

SALVAGE EX S.S. ORIENT.
ON THURSDAY NEXT, AUGUST 29, at 11 o'clock sharp.
ON ACCOUNT OF WHOM IT MAY CONCERN (with all faults if any).
BW&CO. IN DIAMOND.
1 Case Art Furnishing Serges, assorted Colours.
BR&CO. IN DIAMOND.
2 Cases Novels and Stationery.
RMH OVER B.
1 Case Italian Cloth
1 Ditto Woollens
1 Ditto Tailors' Trimmings, Silks, &c.
F&CO.
1 Case Fancy Suitings.

A. TRAVERSI and CO. will sell the above at their Rooms, 76 Pitt-street, on THURSDAY Next, 29th August, at 11 o'clock sharp.
TERMS, CASH.

TO DEALERS, PRIVATE BUYERS, and OTHERS.

HAM HAINS has received instructions to sell by Public Auction, THIS DAY, Tuesday, at 11 a.m., at the premises, No. 28 Pitt-street, Redfern, near Cleveland-street,
HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE and EFFECTS of an eight (8) roomed house.
Sideboard, Austrian furniture, tete, table, drawing-room suite, carpets, linoleum, single and double bedsteads and bedding, first-class gas stove, patent mangle, poultry, laundry utensils, sundries, &c., &c.; also, a first-class buggy and sulky, horse, and harness.
No Reserve. Terms, cash.
Every line submitted must be sold.

THIS DAY, August 27, at 10 a.m.
ON THE PREMISES, SQUARE AND COMPASS HOTEL, GEORGE-STREET, HAYMARKET.
UNDER WARRANT TO DISTRAIN FOR RENT, UNLESS PREVIOUSLY SATISFIED.
HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE and EFFECTS in this well-known and old-established house.
WM. CRANE, Jun., will sell THIS MORNING, as above. Terms, Cash. No Reserve.

JAMES R. LAWSON'S AUCTION SALE ROOMS, 128 PITT-STREET.
WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 28, AT 11 A.M.
IMPORTANT UNRESERVED SALE BY AUCTION of VERY SUPERIOR FURNITURE AND HOUSEHOLD EFFECTS, Removed from MACLEAY-STREET, POTTS POINT, under instructions from THE MORTGAGOR, for POSITIVE UNRESERVED SALE.
Also ELEGANT DRAWING-ROOM FURNITURE, SEMI-GRAND PIANOFORTE, and HIGH-CLASS APPOINTMENTS.
On account of other interests,
Including—
VERY HANDSOME WALNUT SIDEBOARD of the finest English manufacture, richly carved and superbly finished
TELESCOPE DINING TABLE, with patent Screw and Spare Leaves
MAGNIFICENT DINING-ROOM SUITE of most excellent manufacture, upholstered in Marone Morocco Leather
WALNUT OVERMANTELS, with Bevelled-edged Mirrors and Side Galleries.
ITALIAN WALNUT DRAWING-ROOM SUITE, richly upholstered in Genoa Velvet, with Borders of Golden Brown Silk Plush
VERY HANDSOME and HIGHLY-FINISHED ITALIAN WALNUT CABINET, with Lofty Mirror Back, Boldly Carved, and fitted with Cupboards enclosed by Mirrored Doors.
CHOICE VIENNA ORNAMENTS.
BRUSSELS CARPETS.
VERY FINE WALNUT PIANOFORTE, SEMI-GRAND, KAPS, in splendid order, an exceedingly High-class Instrument.
WALNUT DRAWING-ROOM ORGAN, by THE WORCESTER ORGAN COMPANY, possessing rich and very sweet tone. An instrument highly adapted for home use.
VALUABLE CLOCKS AND BRONZES.
WALNUT OCTAGONAL and OCCASIONAL TABLES.
Also, BEDROOM FURNITURE, of MOST EXCELLENT MANUFACTURE.
COLLECTION OF FINE OIL PAINTINGS AND WATER-COLOURS, and General MISCELLANEOUS EFFECTS.

JAMES R. LAWSON has been favoured with instructions from the MORTGAGOR, and on account of other interests, to conduct the highly important sale by auction,
AT HIS ROOMS, 128 PITT-STREET, as above, on WEDNESDAY, 28th AUGUST, at 11 a.m.
ON VIEW THIS DAY, TUESDAY, from 1.30 o'clock p.m., and prior to sale on Wednesday morning.
NO RESERVE.

TASMANIAN FURS.
FINAL SALE OF THE SEASON.
JAMES R. LAWSON'S AUCTION SALEROOMS, 128 PITT-STREET, FRIDAY, AUGUST 30, at 11 a.m.
By Order of and Under Instructions from THE AUSTRALIAN FUR COMPANY.
GRAND ASSORTMENT OF RARE AND VALUABLE TASMANIAN FURS.
RUGS, IN GREAT VARIETY, Parlour and Bedside Mats, Specimen Mats, &c., &c.
*** FULL PARTICULARS in later advertisements.

JAMES R. LAWSON has been favoured with instructions from the AUSTRALIAN FUR COMPANY to conduct the Important Sale by Auction, at his Rooms, as above, on FRIDAY, 30th AUGUST, at 11 a.m.

EVERYONE should ascertain the rates for FIRE INSURANCE from the LIVERPOOL and LONDON and GLOBE.
Invested Funds exceed £9,000,000 sterling.

SALVAGE, EX S.S. ORIENT.
9 CASES.
THIS DAY, AUGUST 27, at 11.
SF 1965—1 Case Lace Curtains.
SF 1332—1 Case Crepon.
SF 1266—1 Case Lace Goods.
SF 1267—1 Case Ribbons, Laces, Table Covers, &c.
SF 1333-4—2 cases Optima Cloth.
1335—1 Case Linen Damask.
1337—1 Case Sateens and Flannelettes.
1338—1 Case Zephyr Cloths.
JAMES RODD and CO., instructed by the Underwriters, will sell by auction, at their Rooms, 7 Wynyard-street,
The above Salvage, now landing.
TERMS, CASH.

SALVAGE, EX ORIENT.
THIS DAY, AUGUST 27, at 11.
PM & Co., 1 to 5—5 CASES PRINTS
GW & CO., 9878—1 CASE TIES
AGB & S, 385—1 CASE HABERDASHERY.
JAMES RODD and CO., instructed by the Underwriters, will sell by auction, at their Rooms,
The above SALVAGE, now landing ex Orient.
TERMS, CASH.

SALVAGE, EX ORIENT.
THIS DAY, AUGUST 27, at 11.
C&L IN DIAMOND, OVER T, 483, 484, 485.
MEN'S SOFT FELT HATS.
BEAVER MOLE TROUSERS.
PRINTED BEAVER TROUSERS.
JAMES RODD and CO., instructed by the Underwriters, will sell by auction, at their Rooms, 7 Wynyard-street, the above, more or less damaged by fire and water.
Terms, Cash.

SALVAGE, EX ORIENT.
THIS DAY, AUGUST 27, at 11.
HD over W.Mc.K., in diamond.
1 CASE FANCY TRIMMINGS, TWIST, REEL SILKS, VELVET RIBBONS, BUTTONS, IVORIES, &c.
JAMES RODD and CO. will sell by auction, at their Rooms, 7 Wynyard-street, the above, more or less damaged by fire and water.
Terms, Cash.

THIS DAY, AUGUST 27, at 11.
SALVAGE, EX ORIENT.
9 CASES MERCERY—VARIOUS.
HXJ 3121 { HJ over 17 3136, JTM 3139, JM 3140 over 1334, 3123-4, 3118, 3137.
JAMES RODD and CO. are instructed by the Underwriters to sell by auction, at their Rooms, 7 Wynyard-street, VARIOUS INVOICES as MARKS and NOS. above, now landing from S.S. ORIENT, DAMAGED BY FIRE AND WATER.
Terms, Cash.

THIS DAY, AUGUST 27, at 11.
SALVAGE, EX ORIENT.
HL in diamond, 401, 402.
2 CASES BOOKS.
JAMES RODD and CO., instructed by the underwriters, will sell by auction, at their Rooms, 7 Wynyard-street, the above.
Now landing from the S.S. Orient.

SALVAGE EX ORIENT.
THIS DAY, TUESDAY, AUGUST 27.
Nos. 197-755, 9300, 314, 308-757-1217-1221-2.
JAMES RODD and CO., instructed by the Underwriters, will sell by public auction, at 7 Wynyard-street, 9 CASES DRAPERY, as above.

REGULAR WEEKLY SALE.
WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 28,
All Round Lines
DRAPERY and CLOTHING.
New Consignments now Landing.
Ex PARRAMATTA.
JAMES RODD and CO. will sell by auction, at their old-established Rooms,
GENERAL DRAPERY, CLOTHING, and BOOTS and SHOES.
TO-MORROW, WEDNESDAY, at 11.

THIS DAY and THURSDAY, at 11 o'clock, at the BRISBANE AUCTION MART, 227 PITT-STREET, Attractive Unreserved Sale of a large QUANTITY OF SUPERIOR HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE, PIANO (the contents of a 6-roomed house).
Also, a large quantity of Island Curios.
Removed to Rooms for Convenience of Sale.
LEWIS PHILLIPS will sell the above, THIS DAY, at 11 o'clock. NO RESERVE. TERMS, CASH.
Outdoor Sales a speciality. Account Sales rend'ed promptly.

TO-MORROW, WEDNESDAY, August 28, at 11 a.m.
ATTRACTIVE SALE BY AUCTION at the OLD BANK AUCTION ROOMS, 322 GEORGE-STREET, of SUPERIOR HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE, Rare Oriental Screens, and Chinese and Japanese Curios, in the Deceased Estate of the LATE CAPTAIN NEIL SHANNON, who lost his life in the S.S. CATTERTHUN, by order of the EXECUTRIX IN THE ESTATE.
WALTER BRADLEY and CO. have been favoured with instructions from the Executrix in the Estate of the late Captain Neil Shannon to conduct the above Sale at the Old Bank Auction Rooms, 322 George-street, TO-MORROW, 28th August, at 11 a.m.
ON VIEW THIS DAY.
INSPECTION INVITED.

TO-MORROW, WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 28, at 11 a.m.
IMPORTANT AUCTIONEERS' ANNOUNCEMENT to LADIES and GENTLEMEN Furnishing in Good Taste.
MOST ATTRACTIVE UNRESERVED SALE by Public Auction at the OLD BANK AUCTION ROOMS, 322 GEORGE-STREET, of HIGH-CLASS HOUSEHOLD EFFECTS, removed from a PROFESSIONAL GENTLEMAN'S RESIDENCE, DARLING POINT, to the SPACIOUS AUCTION ROOMS, for the CONVENIENCE of BUYERS, including
SET SUPERIOR TABLE PLATE, marked A1 quality.
ENGLISH CHINA DINNER SERVICE, tastefully decorated by hand.
CHARMING TEA and COFFEE SET, Hand-Painted Heather Bells.
SET MAGNIFICENT MEAT and POULTRY CARVERS, with best Tusk Ivory Handles.
SOILD CARVED WALNUT EXTENSION DINING TABLE, with patent extending screw.
AMERICAN WALNUT ENCLOSED SIDEBOARD, with Bevelled Plateglass Back.
SUPERIOR DINING-ROOM SUITE, in solid Walnut, covered in Leather.
SOLID WALNUT CARVED OVERMANTEL, with Bevelled Plateglass Panels.
LARGE and HANDSOME BRUSSELS CARPET of Latest Pattern.
ELEGANT DRAWING-ROOM APPOINTMENTS, including
SOLID WALNUT CARVED CHIPPENDALE CABINET
Walnut Card Table, Music Cabinet, Overmantel, and SEVERAL CHOICE FOLDING and OCCASIONAL CHAIRS, covered in Silk Plush and Crewel Work
SOLID AMERICAN CARVED WALNUT HALL STAND and two Chairs en suite
EXCELLENT BORDERED BRUSSELS SQUARE
Wool and Axminster Mats
CHOICE ORNAMENTS and NICNACS
Pictures and Articles of Vertu
HIGH-CLASS UPRIGHT GRAND PIANOFORTE in handsome Figured Walnut Case, overstrung on iron frame trichord, and with all the most modern improvements, by the well-known makers Walstein and Sohn
SEVERAL WELL-MADE BEDROOM SUITES, in Ash and Walnut and Polished Pine
DOUBLE and SINGLE TOILET SETS
Box Ottoman, Eugenie Lounge
BEST QUALITY BEDSTEADS and BEDDING
Austrian Sitting-room Suite
KITCHEN and LAUNDRY UTENSILS, including assortment Copper Utensils,
and a LARGE QUANTITY of EFFECTS too numerous to particularise.
WALTER BRADLEY and CO. have been favoured with instructions from the Owner to conduct the above highly important sale, at the Old Bank Auction Rooms, TO-MORROW, WEDNESDAY, 28th August, at 11 a.m.
ON VIEW THIS DAY.
INSPECTION INVITED.

WEDNESDAY, August 28, at the CITY MART, at 11 o'clock.
INDIAN, CEYLON, and FOOCHOW TEAS, ex late arrivals.
By order of Messrs. PARBURY, HENTY, and CO., comprising, ex Catterthun and Sikh,
1342 Packages New Season's Foochow Teas ex Parramatta and Oceana,
253 Packages Ceylon Teas ex Muttra,
276 Packages Indian Teas.
Also, under instructions from Messrs. FRASER, RAMSAY, and CO., their shipment of CHOICE INDIAN TEAS, ex MUTTRA, from Calcutta,
182 Packages Pekoes and Pekoe Souchongs.
FRASER and CO. will sell by auction as above.
Particulars in Catalogues.

WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 28, 1895, at the ORIENT S. N. COMPANY'S SHED, CIRCULAR QUAY, at 10.30 a.m.
SALVAGE EX S.S. ORIENT.
700 BALLOTS COIR FIBRE
DRAPERY, SHEET LEAD, and SUNDRIES.
On account of whom it may concern.
By Order of the Resident Agent of the O.S.N. Company.
FRASER and CO. will sell by auction, as above, with all faults and defects.

GIVE 'im poor Blackfellow bit MAGIC CLEANSER, make 'im Whitefellow.

THE LIVERPOOL and LONDON and GLOBE has paid claims exceeding £31,615,000 sterling.

CHINA AND GLASS.
NEW PATTERNS OF ALL CLASSES OF CROCKERY AND GLASS HAVE BEEN OPENED UP, AND ARE EXHIBITED AT
LASSETTER'S.
THEY ARE PERFECT IN DESIGN, NOVEL IN SHAPE, AND SERVICEABLE IN WEAR.
ALL PRICES AT WHOLESALE RATES.
F. LASSETTER AND CO., LIMITED, SYDNEY AND BRISBANE.

MICK SIMMONS, HAYMARKET, SYDNEY
CHEAPEST AND BEST HOUSE FOR ALL DESCRIPTIONS OF TOBACCONISTS', HAIRDRESSERS', AND GENERAL SPORTING GOODS.
CRICKET MATERIAL A SPECIALTY.
AGENT FOR THE CELEBRATED "GOLDEN PHEASANT," "CAN'T BE BEAT," "BULLY," "TRADES' UNION," and "LEGER" TOBACCO; also "GOLDEN PHEASANT" CIGARETTES.
ALL AND EVERY BRAND OF TOBACCO, CIGARS, AND CIGARETTES AT LOWEST RATES. SEND FOR QUOTATIONS.

COLLINGWOOD HOUSE, THE BRIDGE, NEWTOWN.
GREAT SALVAGE STOCK SALE,
THIS DAY!! THIS DAY!!
3 Cases LADIES' LEGHORN SLOP HATS, 2½d.
4 Cases WOOL AND SILK MIXTURE, 6½d per Yard; worth 2s 6d.
SAVED FROM THE FIRE! SAVED FROM THE FIRE!
S.S. ORIENT.
5 Cases BOYS' WHITE WASHING SUITS, sizes 0 to 9, 2s 11½d; worth 6s 6d.
3 Cases LADIES' LASTING BOOTS, PAT. VAMPS, 1s 11½d; worth 4s 11d.
NEW SEASON GOODS.
ONLY WET, ONLY WET.
COME EARLY AND AVOID THE CRUSH.
C. G. HATTE.

## Auction Sales.

IMPORTANT NOTICE to Ladies and Gentlemen Furnishing, the Trade, Commission Agents, and Others.
THIS DAY, TUESDAY, AUGUST 27, at 11 o'clock.
IMPORTANT and UNRESERVED SALE by PUBLIC AUCTION of SUPERIOR HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE and EFFECTS, removed to our Rooms, 77 CASTLEREAGH-STREET, between KING and MARKET STREETS, for Display and Convenience of Sale, from "PARK HOUSE," Parramatta, and Miller street, N.S.; and on account of several other owners.
MAGNIFICENT PIANOFORTE, by STEINWEY (BRAUNSCHWEIG), cost £120
SEMI-GRAND BROADWOOD PIANO, in rosewood case
ELECTROPLATE of all kinds, by DIXON, MARTIN and HALL, ELKINGTON, and other good makers—Comp. pr. 3-tier Candelabra. Set of Entrée Dishes, Set Melon-shape Dish Covers, Epergnes, Salvers, Cruets, Hot-water Urn, Spoons, and Forks, &c., &c.
MAGNIFICENT SOLID WALNUT SIDEBOARD, fitted with Cellarettes, Cupboards and Drawers, with tall bevelled plate-glass and cabinet back, with diamond cut-glass panelled doors, size 6ft.
SEVERAL SMALLER SIDEBOARDS, in WALNUT, MAHOGANY, and CEDAR
Solid Walnut Overmantels, Dinner Waggons
10ft. WALNUT DINING-TABLE, with patent screw
SEVERAL MASSIVE SUITES, Stuffed Backs.
Drawing-room Furniture of all kinds in Solid Rosewood, Rosewood and Inlaid Walnut, and Bamboo, comp. Suites, Overmantels
Cabinets, Fancy Oc. Chairs and Tables, &c., &c.
OIL PAINTINGS, WATER-COLOURS, and PHOTOGRAVURES
FANCY CHINA and ORNAMENTS
WALNUT DOUBLE BEDROOM SUITE, of the very best manufacture
Comp. 7ft. Wardrobe and 4ft. Toilets
Several other Single Bedroom Suites in Beaconsfield and other designs
Wardrobes, Toilet Pairs, and Chest of Drawers
Double, Three-quarter, and Single Bedsteads
Wire, Hair, and Kapok Bedding
2 VERY HANDSOME BEDSTEADS, mounted with BRASS and MOTHER-OF-PEARL, Wire and Hair Bedding, quite new, and the very best that can be got.
Several Brussels Carpets—one is 24 x 16, with border, in perfect order.
STAIR CARPETS and RODS.
HALL and LIBRARY FURNITURE.
KITCHEN FURNITURE and UTENSILS.
PATENT MANGLE, ICE CHESTS, and GAS STOVE, &c., &c., &c.
M. SYMONDS and CO. have been favoured with instructions from the owners to hold the above Important UNRESERVED SALE BY PUBLIC AUCTION, at their Rooms, 77 CASTLEREAGH-STREET, BETWEEN KING and MARKET STREETS, THIS DAY, TUESDAY, August the 27th, at 11 o'clock.
ON VIEW PRIOR TO SALE.
TERMS, STRICTLY CASH.

THIS DAY, AUGUST 27th, at 11 o'clock.
ATTRACTIVE and UNRESERVED SALE BY AUCTION, on the Premises, at 94 GREAT BUCKINGHAM-STREET, REDFERN.
JOSEPH FIENBERG has been favoured with instructions from Mrs. SAMWELLS, who is leaving the colony, to sell by auction, the whole of the superior HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE and EFFECTS, comprising
Handsome walnut pianoforte, full iron frame
Beale's sewing machine
Walnut drawing-room suite
Elegant walnut overmantel, B. plates
Walnut music canterbury, whatnots
H.H. dining-room suite, walnut sideboard
Oil paintings, curios, carpets, rugs, &c.
The FURNITURE of 4 Bedrooms, including Double and single half-testers and bedding
Chest drawers, washstands, toiletware
Also the kitchen furniture and requisites and culinary utensils.
NO RESERVE. TERMS, STRICTLY CASH.
Auctioneer's Office: 274 Pitt-street, close to Bathurst-street.

TO-MORROW, WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 28th, at 11 o'clock, on the Premises, ERIE HOUSE, ALBION-STREET, PADDINGTON, SUPERIOR HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE, PIANO, and EFFECTS.
Full particulars will appear in future issue.
JOSEPH FIENBERG has received instructions from the Proprietor, who is relinquishing housekeeping, to conduct the sale of his superior Furniture and effects. WITHOUT THE SLIGHTEST RESERVE.
Auctioneer's Office: 274 Pitt-street.

In the Matter of the Companies Act and in the MATTER of the AUSTRALIAN MINING STANDARD COMPANY, Limited, in Liquidation.
Under Directions from the MASTER IN EQUITY, N. F. GIBLIN, Esq., OFFICIAL LIQUIDATOR.
On the Premises, 108 PITT-STREET, on THIS DAY, TUESDAY, 27th instant, at 11 o'clock.
IMPERATIVE AND UNRESERVED SALE of THE ABOVE EXTENSIVE PRINTING PLANT, GAS-ENGINE, TYPE, and OFFICE FURNITURE, the whole of which is in tip-top condition, nearly equal to new.
INSPECTION SPECIALLY INVITED.
DALWOOD and CO. have pleasure in announcing to PRINTERS, &c., that they have received instructions from N. F. GIBLIN, Esq., OFFICIAL LIQUIDATOR, to sell by AUCTION, the whole of the above PRINTING PLANT, ABSOLUTELY WITHOUT RESERVE.

TO RESTAURANT KEEPERS, &c., &c.
THIS DAY, at 10 o'clock, at 636 GEORGE-STREET, BRICKFIELD-HILL,
8 MARBLE-TOP TABLES, Iron Stands
30 AUSTRIAN CHAIRS, Thonet's best make; Counter and Showcase
Bk.-and-Gold OVERMANTEL, Brass Rod and Curtains
ICE CHEST, LOLLY JARS, and CAKE STANDS, BRASS SCALES and WEIGHTS, COFFEE URNS, PIE-HOUSES, &c., &c., &c.
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WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 28, at 11 o'clock.
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## Auction Sales.

PUBLIC AUCTION SALE of BANK STOCK, CITY, SUBURBAN, and COUNTRY PROPERTIES, by BATT, RODD, and PURVES, at their ROOMS, 88 PITT-STREET, THIS DAY, TUESDAY, AUGUST 27, at 11.30 a.m.

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| BANK STOCK. | A PARCEL of SHARES in A.J.S. BANK, in lots. |
| CITY. | 12 and 14 REGENT-STREET (just off George-street), of brick on stone, slate roofs, each 5 rooms, kitchen, &c. Land, 26ft. frontage, by depth through to TERMINUS-STREET. |
| BURWOOD. | BURWOOD-ROAD, VICTORIA HOUSE. Shop and Dwelling, of 7 rooms, kitchen, bathroom, &c. Land, 40ft. by 120ft. Lane side and rear. |
| MOSS VALE. | BRAEMAR, a CAPITAL FARM, in area 166a. 1r., about 30a. under cultivation, and 22a. orchard. Good W.B. COTTAGE, of 4 rooms and kitchen, stabling, sheds, &c. |
| LAVENDER BAY. | STONELEIGH COTTAGE, of stone, containing 5 rooms, kitchen, and offices, 2 detached rooms at rear. Land 157ft. frontage to BAY VIEW-STREET, depth up to 198ft. to the water, where there is a frontage of 171ft., also additional reclamation area. |
| CROYDON. | A CAPITAL BUILDING SITE. Fenced. Frontage 76ft. to YOUNG-STREET; depth, 235ft. |
| ST. MARYS. | EXCELLENT FARM of 200 acres, about 130 cleared, balance fairly timbered. Good soil. Large COTTAGE of 6 rooms and annexe of 3 rooms. DAIRY, stabling, &c. |
| LINDEN. | BLUE MOUNTAINS, a PICK BLOCK, in area 4a. 2r. 1p. Improvements consist of VERULAM Cottage, residence of 8 rooms, kitchen, &c.; stables, coachhouse, &c.; also, KINGSCLIFFE, two-story dwelling, with tower, containing hall, 7 rooms, storeroom, detached kitchen, &c. |
| MANLY. | An ATTRACTIVE BUILDING SITE, being lots 9 and 10, sec. D, Chapman's Estate, 100ft. to FAIRLIGHT-STREET, by depth up to 180ft. 1in. |
| NORTH SYDNEY. | The RIGHT, TITLE, and INTEREST (if any, in and to that valuable BLOCK of LAND, in area 4a. 3r. 10p., fronting MILITARY-ROAD, BEN BOYD-ROAD, and ERNEST-STREET, on part of which is the OAKS HOTEL. |
| ENMORE. | TERRACE of 11 houses of brick, iron roofs, each of 4 rooms and washhouse, &c.; land 125ft. to FERNDALE-STREET, by depth about 88ft. along MARGARET-STREET. |
| CHATSWOOD. | CAPITAL BUILDING SITE, in area 1a. 2r. 1½p., having frontage of 132ft. to GREVILLE-STREET. |
| COOGEE. | MARINE SITE, 40ft. to DUDLEY and BAY STREETS respectively, depth through about 226ft. |
| LADY ROBINSON'S BEACH. | BUILDING ALLOTMENT, area 2r. 33½p., having 132ft. to THE ESPLANADE, by depth 235ft. |
| ARMIDALE. | Suburban Allotments 24 and 25, sec. 1, 100ft. to PROCTOR-STREET, and 136ft. to RUSSELL-STREET. |

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ORDER OF SALE OF SUNDRY PROPERTIES to be offered by PUBLIC AUCTION, at the ROOMS, 133 PITT-STREET, at Half-past Eleven a.m., NEXT WEDNESDAY, AUGUST 28th.

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| ULTIMO (Mortgagee's Sale). | EIGHT SHOPS and DWELLINGS, Nos. 364 to 378, HARRIS-STREET. Leasehold. |
| BONDI (In an Assigned Estate). | COTTAGE, fronting SIR THOMAS MITCHELL-ROAD, land 35 x 140. |
| WAGGA WAGGA (Mortgagee's Sale). | ALBURY DISTRICT.—755ac. 1rd. of Land, portion of the EDGHILL STATION. |
| KOGARAH (In an Assigned Estate). | BLOCK of BUILDING LAND, having 40ft. frontage to Derby-street. |
| BOTANY (NORTH). | Block of Land, having 160ft. frontage to Wellington-street. |

HARDIE and GORMAN, AUCTIONEERS.

SALE AT THE ROOMS, 313 PITT-STREET. NEXT MONDAY, 2nd SEPTEMBER, 1895, at 11.30 a.m.

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| MAROUBRA. | The Causeway, Maroubra and Gordon streets, Lots 24, 25, 30, 34, 35, and 37, on deposited plan 633. Torrens title. |
| RANDWICK. | Hooper-street, off Carrington-road, Lot 83 of the WYCOMBE Estate, 30ft. x 132ft. Torrens Title. |
| GALSTON. | Berowra Creek-road, adjoining and opposite the property of Mr. R. Crossland, a good BLOCK, in area 7 acres. Torrens Title. On account of the Mortgagees. |
| DULWICH HILL. | Yule-street, Earlsville, a brick COTTAGE, with slate roof, containing hall, 5 rooms, kitchen, bathroom, washhouse, verandahs back and front, land 33ft. 4in. x 132ft. Torrens Title. |

WATKIN and WATKIN, Auctioneers, 313 Pitt-street, and at Ashfield.

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## LAW REPORT.

SUPREME COURT.—MONDAY, AUGUST 26.
*No. 1 Jury Court.—(Before the* CHIEF JUSTICE *and a jury of four.)*

AUSTRALIAN INVESTMENT COMPANY, LIMITED, V. M'LEOD AND ANOTHER.

There being no appearance in this case, it was struck out.

BEYER V. STROH.

Mr. Pring, instructed by Mr. Henry Salwey, appeared for the plaintiff, and Mr. Noble, instructed by Mr. S. J. Bull, for the defendant. This was an action brought by August Beyer, architect and builder, against John Stroh to recover damages for breach of contract, also for assault, and for money paid by him on behalf of defendant. According to the plaintiff's case, it appeared that in June, 1894, the defendant, who was the owner of an old building known as the Star Hotel, at Redfern, entered into a contract with him for pulling down the building and the erection of a new hotel of two stories on the same site, for the sum of £800, the plaintiff to supply the plans and specifications, supervise the work, and pay the workmen. The contract was to be completed within a period of six months, and defendant was to pay plaintiff a certain sum weekly as the work proceeded, and also to pay for all the material required; and when the building was completed he was to deduct the cost of material and the sums paid to the plaintiff weekly, and hand over the balance due to the plaintiff at the end of the contract. There was another term of the agreement—that the plaintiff was to be at liberty to use the material of the old building as far as possible, but, after the work had been continued for some time, the defendant desired that in one part of the building new material should be used instead of old; and about the 21st July an additional agreement was entered into by which £200 was added to the original contract price in consequence of this alteration. Everything went on smoothly until the 3rd November, when the work was within about a fortnight of completion, and on that date defendant came to the office and asked the plaintiff to allow him to see some specifications. Plaintiff refused, when defendant went away, and came back with a man named Joliffe, the licensee of the premises, who assaulted plaintiff and held him by the arms, while defendant, after striking plaintiff in the face, seized the plans, specifications, &c., and went away with them. Shortly afterwards plaintiff received a letter from defendant cancelling the contract, and next day, when plaintiff went on to the work, he found that the workmen had received orders not to recognise him in any way. The amount paid to or on behalf of the plaintiff by the defendant was £521, leaving a balance still due on the contract of £479. The plaintiff therefore claimed this amount, and also compensation for money paid by him on behalf of defendant. He also sued for assault and loss of profits by the breach of contract.

Defendant pleaded that plaintiff was not always ready and willing to complete the contract, and that there was no agreement for the payment of an additional £200. He also denied that he had taken any goods of the plaintiff, or that he had assaulted him.

The case stands part heard.

*No. 2 Jury Court.—(Before Mr. Justice* WINDEYER *and a jury of four.)*

STEVENS V. MAURI AND OTHERS.

Mr. Armstrong, instructed by Mr. Lewis Levy, appeared for the plaintiff, and Dr. Sly, instructed by Mr. Mark Mitchell, for the defendants. This was an action brought by Percy Stevens, who carried on the business of a brewer, against Mauri Brothers, to recover the sum of £250 as compensation for alleged breach of contract. His case was, that in September, 1893, the defendants entered into a contract with him to supply him with certain colouring matter required in the manufacture of hop beer, and which the defendants undertook should be reasonably fit for the purpose, but that it turned out to be colouring matter different from that which plaintiff stipulated for, and damaged the brew to the extent of 1890 gallons. Defendants denied the breach of contract, and stated that they were not aware of the purpose to which plaintiff intended to apply the colouring, and that they did not therefore guarantee that it would be reasonably fit for the purpose.

The jury returned a verdict for the defendants.

MENSER V. EVANS.

Mr. Gannon and Mr. Pickburn, instructed by Mr. George Maddocks Cohen, appeared for the plaintiff, and the Attorney-General (Mr. Want, Q.C.), Mr. W. A. Walker, and Mr. G. Harris, instructed by Mr. Neville W. Montagu, for the defendant. This was an action brought by Bertha Amelia Menser (by Louis Menser, her next friend), against Markham Richard Evans and Harry Markham Evans to recover compensation for alleged slander. Plaintiff's case was that she is a married woman living, with her husband and three children, and some time ago, acting upon the suggestion of a friend, she went out with Bessie Sarah Menser to solicit subscriptions for a destitute widow of her own faith, who lived with eight children at Waverley, one daughter, who was pretty well grown up, being hopelessly paralysed. She undertook the task purely as a voluntary one, without any expectation of fee or reward, as the family in question was related to her husband. While engaged in this charitable enterprise an article appeared in one of the defendant's weekly newspapers headed "Not the Right Kind of Charity—Two Little Maids," in which it was stated that the following advertisement had appeared in the daily newspapers:—"Public Notices.—The charitably disposed are hereby informed that there are several persons making collections presumably on behalf of a distressed Jewish family, and in some cases stating that they have the authority of the directors of the Sir Moses Montefiore Jewish Home and other Jewish charities. I therefore beg to say that they have not the authority of any of the Jewish charities of this city. By order of the Board. SAMUEL COHEN, president of the Sir Moses Montefiore Jewish Home." The article then went on to refer to the fact that two Jewish girls were out collecting, ostensibly, but not really, on behalf of a distressed Jewish family, and that the advertisement was intended as a warning to the public against them. The females indicated in the article were also stigmatised as "a couple of clever members of the *demi monde*," "rakish-looking cruisers," and "disreputable counterfeits," and the plaintiff averred that the article was aimed at her and her companion, and was so construed by persons who had or might peruse it. Plaintiff also gave evidence that on no occasion did she, when soliciting subscriptions, state that she was acting under the authority of any charitable society whatever. Damages were laid at £1000. Defendants pleaded not guilty.

The case stands as part heard.

*No. 3 Jury Court.—(Before his Honor Mr. Acting Justice* COHEN.*)*

LYNE V. WALLIS.

There was no appearance in this case, and it was struck out.

*In Chambers.—(Before his Honor Mr. Acting Justice* COHEN.*)*

EX PARTE AH PEW AND OTHERS.

Mr. Foster, instructed by Mr. H. R. Way (for J. F. Willans, of Narrandera), appeared in support of an application for a prohibition restraining Lester Stuart Donaldson, P.M., Abraham Meyer, J.P., and John Henry Bowman, police constable, of Narrandera, from proceeding with a conviction against Ah Pew, Ah Hing, Ah Gun, and He Chow, who were sentenced to one month's imprisonment each on 26th July last on an information charging them with keeping a house at Narrandera for the purpose of carrying on an unlawful lottery called "Pak-a-pu." The ground of the application was that the information disclosed no offence. The information was laid under the Act 42 George III., chapter 119, which provided that a person would be liable to conviction and punishment if he carried on any game or lottery not authorised by Act of Parliament. The grounds of appeal were—1. That the information disclosed no offence. 2. That the evidence did not show that the accused were the keepers publicly of a place for carrying on a lottery. Mr. C. G. Heydon, instructed by Mr. E. H. Wilshire (of the Crown Solicitor's Office), appeared for respondents to show cause. After argument,

His Honor said he thought the prohibition must go. With regard to the first ground, that the information disclosed no offence, Mr. Heydon had satisfied him, especially after reference to authorities, that that was no ground for a prohibition. As to the second point, he was of opinion that there was nothing in the evidence to justify the magistrates in coming to the conclusion that these four appellants were the keepers of the house for the purpose of carrying on a lottery.

Rule absolute for a prohibition, with costs.

EX PARTE ROBERT MARTIN.

Mr. Teece, instructed by Mr. A. Ashdown, appeared in support of a rule nisi for a prohibition directed to Lester Stuart Donaldson, police magistrate of Narrandera, and Michael Cohen, merchant, of Narrandera, to restrain them from proceeding with an order made in the Small Debts Court against Martin for the payment of £13 17s 3d and costs on 20th August. Mr. Cohen, as the duly appointed substitute for the assigned estate of Cohen and Davis, proceeded against Robert Martin, a farmer, of Narrandera, for the recovery of an amount alleged to be due for goods sold and delivered. The grounds of the application were that the plaintiff was not authorised under the assignment to exercise the power to sue, and that the verdict was against natural justice.

His Honor granted the rule nisi, and made it returnable that day week.

*In Equity.—(Before His Honor Mr. Justice* OWEN, *Chief Judge in Equity.)*

SIMPSON V. HEFFERNAN (PART HEARD).

Mr. A. H. Simpson (instructed by Messrs. Sly and Russell) appeared for the plaintiff, Albert Whitley Simpson; Mr. Browning (instructed by Mr. John Howarth) for the defendants; and Dr. Cullen (instructed by Messrs. Gould and Shaw) for the defendants, the Union Bank. The other defendants were Peter Henry Heffernan and Mary Elizabeth Heffernan his wife, and Joseph M'Cully, Mary M'Cully, and Elizabeth Jane M'Cully, infants. The plaintiff was the trustee of the will of the late John M'Cully, of Woodville station, near Armidale, and he sought the opinion of the Court with regard to certain claims that had been made on the estate. After argument, his Honor held that the Union Bank had failed on all claims excepting as to the instalments on the conditional purchases, which had been paid by the bank. The bank must pay the costs to the hearing of the suit; the costs of the other defendants to be paid by the plaintiff, and to be got from the bank. A reference to the Master was directed as to the amount due to the bank with reference to the instalments. The Union Bank was to deliver up the title deeds of the freehold and the documents connected with the conditional purchases. His Honor declared that J. M. M'Cully was entitled to the £500 claimed by him, and the infants' share was to be applicable for their maintenance.

RUTHERFORD V. JONES.

Mr. Rich, instructed by Mr. J. S. Lamrock, appeared for the plaintiffs, James Rutherford and another, trading as Cobb and Co.; and the defendant, Henry Bingham Jones, was not represented. Counsel stated that Jones had a contract for three years with the Government for running the mails between Parkes and Peak Hill. The plaintiffs on the 1st January, 1892, bought the remainder of the contract for two years ending December, 1894. Jones also agreed not to interfere with them on the roads for the further period of 12 months. The plaintiffs finished the balance of the defendant's contract, and then a fresh contract was to be taken out in 1895 for three years. Jones tendered to the Government for this contract, and received it. The plaintiffs contended that by accepting the contract he broke the agreement that he had entered into with them not to interfere with that particular road.

His Honor said that he did not think that he could interfere with the carriage of the mails. Had plaintiffs applied at an earlier date for an injunction preventing the defendant from entering into such a contract it would have been a different matter.

Mr. Rich said that he would be contented if his Honor would exclude reference to the mails, and would grant an injunction restraining the defendant from conveying passengers or luggage along the road in question.

His Honor said that there could be no objection to that.

Evidence was then taken in the case.

His Honor granted an injunction restraining the defendant from running any vehicles carrying passengers, goods, or luggage between Parkes and Peak Hill.

*(Before his Honor Mr. Justice* MANNING.*)*

COMPANY MATTERS.

Mr. H. J. Aspinall made an application for the appointment of Frederick James Smith as official liquidator, in lieu of Mr. Augustus Morris, to several companies. He stated that Mr. Smith had been representing Mr. Morris in these matters, and had an intimate knowledge of all the business. The companies were the following:—The Fairfield Hotel Company; the Fairfield Hotel Racecourse Company; the New South Wales Co-operative Gold-mining Company, Tarcutta; the Federal Reversionary L. and F. Company, Limited; the *Daily Post* Newspaper Company, Limited; the Commercial Agency, Trading, and Banking Company, Limited; the Bonang Gold-mining Company; the Australian Mercantile, Loan, and Guarantee Company, Limited. His Honor authorised the appointment as asked.

*At Darlinghurst.—(Before his Honor Mr Justice* SIMPSON *and a special jury of 12.)*

A'BECKETT V. THE RAILWAY COMMISSIONERS.

In this case Marsham Elwin A'Beckett, of the firm of A'Beckett and Horrocks, solicitors, claimed £6000 damages from the Railway Commissioners for injuries sustained in the accident at the Redfern railway station on 31st October.

Mr. R. E. O'Connor and Mr. G. J. L. Campbell, instructed by Mr. A. W. M'Carthy, appeared for the plaintiff; and Sir Julian Salomons, Q.C., and Mr. C. B. Stephen, instructed by Mr. James C. Thom, solicitor for railways, appeared for the Railway Commissioners.

The negligence was admitted by the defendants, and the question for the jury was the amount of compensation.

Mr. R. E. O'Connor, in opening the case, said that the claim was founded on the well-known law that persons who acted as public carriers were expected to use reasonable skill and care in the carrying of passengers. It was admitted that there had been negligence, and the question, therefore, for the jury to consider was the amount of damages to which the plaintiff was entitled because of the injuries received. Mr. A'Beckett, who was a resident of Ashfield, was a passenger by the train which came into collision with the Southern train on the morning of the 31st October. He was seated in the carriage next to the engine, which was running smoke-stack and fire-box next to the carriage. The force of the collision telescoped the carriage, broken open the smoke-stack door, and burst the steam pipes. That caused the carriage to be filled with smoke, steam, and red-hot cinders. The plaintiff's face was badly scalded, and so severe had been the scalds on the arms and hands that the skin peeled off and hung down from the tips of his fingers. In releasing himself from his painful situation, Mr. A'Beckett broke the window, and so cut his hand severely. So serious was his condition, that he had to be taken to the Prince Alfred Hospital, where for several days his life hung in the balance. His throat was so severely scalded by the enforced inhalation of the escaping steam that it was feared the operation of tracheotomy would have to be performed. At the end of 17 days he left the hospital, but was not fit to return to his office until the end of February, and then he found himself quite unable to do his usual work. Even at the present time Mr. A'Beckett was quite unable, owing to the terrible shock to his nervous system, to practise his profession in the same measure as he had done before the accident. Of course, in a case of this kind the jury would be utterly unable to give anything like adequate compensation, but such compensation should be given as might be considered reasonably sufficient remembering all the circumstances of the case. Never again would Mr. A'Beckett be restored to the state of health which he enjoyed when he entered the train on that morning. Even if he were to get every penny of the amount claimed it was not a sum which could be regarded as anything like sufficient compensation for the injuries he had received.

Marsham Elwin A'Beckett deposed that he was a solicitor of the Supreme Court, and had been so for 22 years. At the time of the accident in October last he was a little over 44 years of age. On the morning of the accident he was in very good health, and had previously been in good health. He was a passenger by the train, and as soon as the accident occurred the carriage was filled with steam. His head and face and arms were scalded, and he thought he was about to be killed. He forced his way out of the carriage through a window and walked down alongside the train, where he met a Mr. Conlon, who took him to Prince Alfred Hospital in a cab. There he was admitted, and his injuries were attended to. He remained in the hospital 17 days. A few hours after his admission his eyes became closed up, his throat was very sore and became swollen, and he lost his voice. After he left the hospital he was still in a low weak condition, and as soon as he got home he was put to bed. Dr. R. Jones, of Ashfield, attended him, and witness remained at home for nearly three weeks. Afterwards he went to the country, and did not really commence work till the end of February of this year. He found that he had less energy for his work, and was physically weaker. He found that his memory for details was less, and that for some time he could not do as much work as he had previously done. Witness was a married man, and had four children. He had a half-share in the business of the firm. From October, 1890, to October, 1891, he took from the profits £604 3s, and from October, 1891, to October, 1892, £292. During part of this latter period he was away in England. From October, 1892 to 1893, he took £548 14s 3d from the profits; and from October, 1893, to October, 1894, his share amounted to £648 19s. From October, 1894, to date, £308—that would be about £360 for the year. He thought that the diminution in the profits of the last period was greatly due to his absence from the business. He submitted himself to an examination by Drs. Fiaschi, Jarvie Hood, and Woodward on behalf of the Railway Commissioners.

Dr. James Flashman deposed that in October, 1894, he was house surgeon at the Prince Alfred Hospital. When on 31st October Mr. A'Beckett was admitted to the hospital he was suffering from scalds to the face, head, throat, neck, hands, wrists, and lower parts of the arms. There was also a lacerated wound of the left hand. The scalds were mostly of the second and third degrees and would cause great pain. His life was in danger from collapse due to the shock to the system. For some days it was feared that tracheotomy would have to be performed.

Dr. Richard Theophilus Jones, practising at Ashfield, deposed that he had been medical attendant to Mr. A'Beckett for 15 years. Previous to the accident Mr. A'Beckett was in good health. His heart was now somewhat weak, but there was no organic disease. The shock to the nervous system had probably caused the weakness of the heart. The nervous state of the system would likely be affected for the remainder of his life. Witness considered that Mr. A'Beckett's life had been shortened by the experiences he had gone through.

Richard Finlayson deposed that he had known Mr. A'Beckett for 15 years. Before the accident happened Mr. A'Beckett had been of a jovial disposition, but lately, since the accident, witness had noticed a great change in him. He was very irritable, and altogether a changed man.

By Sir Julian Salomons: Mr. A'Beckett was a member of the Liedertafel. Since his recovery in February he had attended eight or nine meetings of the Liedertafel to practise in the chorus. Witness could not say whether Mr. A'Beckett had taken part in the two recent concerts of the Liedertafel in the Town Hall. He had noticed that now Mr. A'Beckett's voice was weaker.

Sir Julian Salomons did not call any evidence, but addressed the jury on the evidence submitted on behalf of the plaintiff. He said that when a person even of high character, as he admitted Mr. A'Beckett was, and well and favourably known, brought an action against the Government or the Railway Commissioners everything was put forward that could possibly be a groundwork for any damages. Plaintiff was over 40 years of age at the time of the accident, and was a member of the Liedertafel. He asked them whether there was not any man present who if he had gone through the same experiences as Mr. A'Beckett would not, except in a very exceptional case, have that same irregularity of the heart which the plaintiff was said to have. But would it in all develop into organic disease of the heart? In this case the medical evidence was only that it might so develop. But if he were in a nervous state, prejudicial to the heart's action, the last place in the world he would go to would be the Liedertafel concerts, with all the excitement attendant on the taking part in such recreation. He submitted that the plaintiff had not suffered any permanent injury of any kind whatever. Mr. A'Beckett was undoubtedly entitled to compensation for his sufferings, such compensation as would be given to any man, as would have been given to a labourer—no more; but then beyond that he was entitled to compensation for his medical expenses and for his loss of time in business. But beyond that he could not claim, and it was for the jury to consider whether such compensation should be in the hundreds or at the enormous figure put in the claim. If the injuries had been caused wilfully, of course no compensation would be too high; but this was not wilful, it was an accident, and in the case of an accident the law did not allow perfect compensation, but only compensation for the actual business loss caused by the injury, and then a sum as some solace for the pain he had undergone.

His Honor, in summing up, said that Mr. A'Beckett was entitled to be compensated reasonably and fairly for the injuries he had sustained by the collision, for the physical and mental pain and suffering he had undergone. He was entitled to compensation for the loss which he had sustained in his business by reason of this act of negligence on the part of the Commissioners, and he was entitled to all expense he had been put to on account of doctors, and medical comforts. He was also entitled to receive full and fair compensation for the depreciation—if there was depreciation—in his general health. If he was a man who was practically 10 years older than he was before the accident, then he was entitled to receive compensation for that. Plaintiff was also entitled to compensation for diminution of business if that diminution was the result of the collision. But Mr. A'Beckett was not entitled to make money out of the Commissioners, nor recover from the Commissioners any more than from anyone else through whose negligence the same consequences might have been brought about.

After 40 minutes' retirement the jury returned a verdict for the plaintiff, with damages at £900.

*In Bankruptcy.—(Before his Honor Mr. Justice* MANNING.*)*

APPEAL AGAINST DECISION OF REGISTRAR.

Re John Black. The Australian Joint Stock Bank had sought to prove a claim for £8206 7s 3d in respect of cheques drawn by Mr. Quigley, who was a co-trustee with black. The contention on behalf of the bank was that Quigley had the authority of Black in relation to those transactions. The official assignee, however, submitted that the authority had been revoked within a fortnight of it being given. The Registrar took this view, and disallowed the claim. To-day the bank appealed against this decision. His Honor upheld the decision of the Registrar, and dismissed the appeal. Mr. Knox and Mr. Bethune, instructed by Messrs. Fisher and Macansh, appeared for the appellant; and Mr. Pilcher, Mr. Gordon, and Mr. R. K. Manning, instructed by Messrs. Perkins and Williams, appeared for the official assignee.

*(Before the Registrar, Mr.* ARTHUR HENRY.*)*

ESTATES SEQUESTRATED.

J. Lawrence Brown and another v. Joseph Abraham Davis. An order was made for the sequestration of the estate of the respondent. Date of act of bankruptcy 27th June. Mr. Giblin, official assignee.

Mary Jane Herbert v. Edith Lilian Herbert. An order was made for the sequestration of the estate of the respondent. Date of act of bankruptcy 5th August. Mr. Palmer, official assignee.

CREDITOR'S PETITION WITHDRAWN.

H. L. Friedman v. Randolph E. Scarvell. As a settlement had been arrived at, leave was given to the petitioning creditor to withdraw the petition.

CREDITOR'S PETITION ADJOURNED.

A. J. Higinbotham v. Lucien Felix Henry. By consent the hearing of this creditor's petition was further adjourned to the 2nd September.

EXAMINATIONS UNDER SECTION 30.

Re Joseph Israel. The bankrupt and also Israel Israel, George E. B. Sanders, Charles Israel, and J. P. Ivess were examined under section 30. An order was made, by consent, that the witness Israel Israel keep possession of the books and papers pending realisation of his security or further order, the official assignee and the bankrupt to have access to the books at any reasonable time.

A SCENE IN COURT.

Re Solomon Davis. Kate Davis, wife of the bankrupt, was examined under section 30 by Mr. Wise, on behalf of the official assignee. As the witness suddenly became ill the examination was adjourned to 2nd September. Mrs. Davis, who was being questioned by Mr. Wise concerning certain property, suddenly became hysterical, whereupon her husband (who was also in court) shouted out excitedly "You're killing my wife! you're killing my wife!" As the husband got extremely excited it was deemed necessary to remove him from the precincts of the court.

SEQUESTRATION ORDERS.

James Grant, of Narrabri, journeyman butcher. Mr. Palmer, official assignee.

Thomas P. Butler, of Hillgrove, miner. Mr. Giblin, official assignee.

George Taylor Budd, of Narrandera, insurance agent. Mr. Lloyd, official assignee.

Julius Kitson, of Richmond, dairyman. Mr. Palmer, official assignee.

George Osborne, of Danison-street, Kingston (formerly of Marrickville), labourer. Mr. Lloyd, official assignee.

### PARRAMATTA BANKRUPTCY COURT.

MONDAY, AUGUST 26.
*(Before the District Registrar, Mr.* F. W. EDWARDS.*)*

Re Samuel Walker, cordial manufacturer. Single meeting examination. Bankrupt put in a statement of his affairs. A number of creditors appeared, but no questions were asked, and the meeting was declared closed. At a meeting of creditors it was resolved that bankrupt be allowed the use of his furniture.

### METROPOLITAN DISTRICT COURT.

MONDAY.
*(Before Mr. District Court Judge* COFFEY *and a jury of four.)*

SIEBERT V. MILLER (PART HEARD).

Mr. Gannon, instructed by Mr. Lambton, appeared for the plaintiff, August Siebert; and Mr. Armstrong, instructed by Messrs. Crick and Meagher, appeared for the defendant, James Miller. The plaintiff is the licensee of the Dumbarton Castle Hotel in Kent-street, and the defendant is a senior-constable of police. The plaintiff claimed £200 damages from the defendant for slander. His Honor summed up the evidence. The jury returned a verdict in favour of the defendant.

JEANNERET V. COOK.

Mr. Loxton, instructed by Messrs. Jeanneret and Backhouse, appeared for the plaintiff, Charles E. Jeanneret; and Mr. Rolin, instructed by the Crown Solicitor, appeared for the defendant, Joseph Cook, Postmaster-General, nominal defendant. This was an action for the recovery of £91 13s 2d in connection with the construction of a telephone to Hunter's Hill. After the case had been gone into for some little time, his Honor suggested that the matter should be referred to arbitration. Counsel consented to this course, and his Honor appointed Mr. Scholes as arbitrator, to report his finding to the Registrar, who would enter up the finding as the verdict of the Court. Mr. Scholes consented to act, and his Honor then discharged the jury.

ISRAEL V. CONNELL.

Mr. F. W. Walker, instructed by Mr. Mark Mitchell, appeared for the plaintiff, Louis Israel; and Mr. Wise, instructed by Messrs. Crick and Meagher, appeared for the defendant, Edward Connell. This was an action for the recovery of damages for wrongful distraint and trespass, and plaintiff claimed £200. The defendant pleaded not guilty by statute. According to the statement by counsel, the plaintiff was the tenant of the defendant, and Israel owed four weeks' rent, amounting to £2 16s. Defendant distrained for five weeks' rent, amounting to £3 10s. Subsequently the defendant acknowledged he had made a mistake, and took the man in possession out. Plaintiff had previously tendered to the man £2 16s and the costs, but it was refused. When the five weeks had elapsed the defendant put a man in possession again for £3 10s. This amount was afterwards paid. Plaintiff also complained that defendant had distrained on the whole of the furniture in the house.

The case stands as part heard.

### LAW NOTICES.

SUPREME COURT.—TUESDAY, AUGUST 27.

No. 1 Jury Court.—At 2 p.m.: Beyer v. Stroh, part heard; Roberts v. Hurley, White and another v. Fulbrook and another, Martin and others v. Byatt and others.

No. 2 Jury Court.—Menser, B. A., v. Evans and another, part heard; Menser, R. A., v. same, Menser, B. S., v. same, Menser, R.P., v. same, Phillips v. same, Wallis and others v. Jones and another.

No. 3 Jury Court.—Webb v. Harle, Goddard v. Rodd, Younger and wife v. Czarlinski, Wilkinson v. Mitchell, Stead v. Watterson, Langley and another v. Miller.

In Chambers.—At 10 a.m.: For judgment, Steed v. Union Steamship Company, New Zealand.

Darlinghurst Court House.—Raine v. Railway Commissioners.

In Equity.—Before his Honor the Chief Judge—At 10 a.m.: Ricketson v. Smith, summons for discovery; the Federal Bank of Australia, Limited, and Companies Act, motion for an order for second call. At 11 a.m.: Goddard v. Cole, hearing.

Master's Office.—At 10 a.m.: Lunacy. At 12.30 p.m.: Company matters. At 2 p.m.: Henry Hayes and Co. v. Union Bank, to settle minutes of order. Before the Deputy Registrar, at 10.30 a.m.: Re Futter, to tax costs. At 11 a.m.: Ex parte Merriman, deceased, to tax costs. At 12 noon: Re Scotland, deceased, to tax costs. At 2 p.m.: Broard v. Wallis, to tax costs.

In Divorce.—Before his Honor the Judge in Divorce.—At 9.30: Chamber business.

Prothonotary's Office.—Before the Prothonotary.—Fisher v. O'Brien, 10; Sharpe v. Chegwidden, 11; Rolfe v. Lee, 11.30; Clare v. Municipal Council of Sydney, 12; re Brown, 2.15; Mitsham v. Flood, 2.15.

Probate Office.—Before the Registrar.—At 11 a.m.: To proceed on accounts in the following estates:—H. M. Perry, Jane Hunter Drynan, Geo. Harvey, Thos. Honey. At 2.15: Bradford v. Powell, costs.

Before the Judge in Bankruptcy.—At 11: In re Joseph Israel, the official assignee v. Israel Israel, motion under section 130.

Before the Registrar in Bankruptcy, at 11.—Certificate applications: Fredk. Pead, Thos. Crook, Sydney Thos. Warren, Wm. Horton, John Alex. Hunter, Alfred Wm. Theuf, Jacob Morris, Wm. Richardson, Jos. Solomons, Wm. Owens Lonergan. Motions for approval: Thos. Riccardi, Mary Shaw. Single meetings: Jas. Poole, Lillian Harkness, Arthur Rickhards, Napoleon Jean Lisson, Alfred Cottrell, Jos. Livio, Alfred Gibson Jones, Jos. Constantine Guiliani, Jos. Sproules, Andrew John Howell, Anna Dowling, Alex. Hutchison.

Before the Chief Clerk in Bankruptcy.—At 2: In re Longham, taxation of petitioning creditor's costs. At 2.15: In re Ashcroft, taxation of official assignee's costs.

DISTRICT COURT.—TUESDAY, AUGUST 27.
(Before his Honor Judge Coffey.)

Israel v. Connell (part heard), M'Sweeney v. M'Master, Australian Drug Company v. Hillier, Denham v. Fitzgerald, Mahoney v. Alexander, Reading v. Marshall, Weinberg v. Dolowitch, Gibson v. Smith, Chapman v. Kelly, Ryan v. Vallender, Lamb v. Bray, Macintosh and others v. Fahey, Bucker v. Munro, Williams v. Roche, Mayhew v. Minty, Tighe v. Giffen.

List called at 10 a.m. punctually.

### *WAVERLEY AND RANDWICK EXTENSION.*

TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD.

Sir,—As the Railway Commissioners propose making a change in the running of the above line, the time seems appropriate to draw their attention to the very unsatisfactory arrangement of this special time-table. The trams seem to run, particularly between the hours of 12 and 2, just to escape meeting Sydney, Waverley, and Randwick trams. If there were some certainty of making connection this line would undoubtedly have been better patronised. I am, &c.,

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## *POLICE COURTS.*

ALLEGED CONSPIRACY.

In the Summons Division of the Central Police Court yesterday, before Mr. Whittingdale Johnson, S.M., the hearing of the charge against Thomas Ernest Rofe of having, on the 30th July, conspired together with Elizabeth Susannah Peake, Charles Davis, and Thomas Richard Butler to pervert the due course of justice, was continued.

Mr. Wade, instructed by Mr. Wilshire, appeared for the Crown, and Mr. Crick for the defence.

Mr. Crick stated that owing to the admission of certain evidence he would subpoena Mr. Wade as a witness.

Mary Jane Butler, wife of T. R. Butler, stated she had been married for 10 or 11 years, and for some years previous to July, 1894, had been living apart from her husband, and had taken out several maintenance orders against him. On the 16th July, 1894, she went to live with him in a house at Glebe-street, Glebe, opposite Mrs. Du Faur's. Butler was then manager for Mrs. Copp, Darlington-road. She first saw Davis, or Williams, about a week after being at the Glebe, when he came to her back gate. Her little boy told her something, and she went to the back gate, where she saw Davis, who told her that a woman was knocking at the front door, adding "I told her you had only gone across the road, and the woman asked me to say she would be back in a couple of hours." Witness gave exactly similar evidence to that she had given at the trial of Mrs. Peake Davis, and Butler at Darlinghurst relative to the annoyance she suffered from the man Davis, and her having complained to her husband and brother about him. She afterwards saw Mr. Delohery, S.M., and Mr. Abigail in respect to the matter.

Mr. Crick objected that this evidence was only against the persons who had been convicted of conspiracy, but did not implicate his client.

Witness (continuing) gave evidence of the events on the night of the 30th July, when Davis crossed over and asked if she intended to go to her brother's, and she reminded him of a promise he had made not to molest her; but he entered the kitchen, and she went upstairs to get her hat. When she came down she found Davis in the dining-room looking over her album. Just then she heard a rush from the kitchen, and her husband and Mr. Goodyear entered, Davis getting under the table. Her husband called out, "Where's the man?" and he and Davis pretended to fight, when Goodyear interfered, telling her husband not to take the law into his own hands. Her husband then told her to leave the house or he would kick her out. She protested her innocence before God and man, but left the house that night and went to her brother's. She had never at any time committed adultery with Davis. After the case on her behalf had closed at the Divorce Court the present defendant gave evidence, and then her husband went into the box, and in reply to Mr. Rofe said he had neither directly nor indirectly employed a private detective in the case.

To Mr. Crick: She had been twice alone to Mr. Rofe's office. Mr. Rofe neither wrote nor sent a messenger to her to come. Never on any occasion had he sent for her. Mrs. Copp had called there with her once to try and bring about a reconciliation. She and her husband had been apart for about three years. She did not recollect having scissors in her hand, and saying to Mrs. Copp that she would like to stick them into Butler.

Detective W. J. West, examined by Mr. Crick, said that he had received a letter from Mrs. Butler, but had destroyed it. He got it after the committal in the conspiracy case. He never received a letter from her that had been opened in error by Dr. West.

Mr. W. H. Hamlet, Government Analyst, gave the result of his analysis of pills which had been handed to him in connection with the conspiracy trial.

The further hearing of the case will be continued at 2.30 p.m. on Wednesday.

CHARGE OF THEFT.

At the Central Police Court yesterday, before Mr. Johnson, S.M., Lawrence Kirwan (40), bricklayer, was sentenced to four months' imprisonment upon a charge of stealing a gold chain of the value of 10s, the property of his mother.

ASSAULTING A CONSTABLE.

George Williams was charged at the Central Police Court yesterday, before Mr. Johnson, S.M., with assaulting Constable Rouse. The assault was committed while accused was being arrested for riotous behaviour. Accused was fined 40s; in default, 21 days' imprisonment.

ATTEMPTING TO STEAL.

At the Water Police Court yesterday, before Mr. J. Giles, S.M., Thomas Murray was sentenced to six weeks' hard labour for attempting to steal 6s from one Sarah Estecourt.

ASSAULT.

At the Water Police Court yesterday, before Mr J. Giles, S.M., Alfred Kenny was fined £5, or four months' imprisonment, for having assaulted one Lena Tindall by striking her in the face with his fist.

BREACH OF THE LICENSING ACT.

In the Summons Division of the Water Police Court yesterday, before Captain A. Money Fisher, S.M., John Cotter, licensee of the Athletic Club Hotel, corner of Arthur and Alexander streets, was proceeded against, on the information of Inspector Bremner, for having at 4.30 p.m. on Sunday, 18th August, sold liquors on his licensed premises, such sale not being to an inmate, lodger, or traveller. Defendant pleaded guilty, and was fined £2, with costs, levy and distress, or 14 days' imprisonment.

INJURING A PIECE OF LAND.

At the Redfern Police Court yesterday, before Mr. Smithers, S.M., John Fenton, age 32, a carter, was charged with having injured a piece of land, the property of William Cooper, to the extent of 6d, by removing some sand. He was fined 10s, and ordered to pay 6d, the damage done, in default 21 days' gaol.

CHINESE GAMBLERS BEFORE THE COURT.

Some consternation prevailed in the vicinity of the Redfern Police Court yesterday morning on the arrival of a 'bus load of Chinamen from No. 3 station, in charge of the police, and, together with 16 of their countrymen and four Europeans, locked up at Redfern. They were brought before Mr. Smithers, S.M., and charged with breaches of the Gaming Act. Ah Foo, age 38, shopkeeper, and Ah Too, age 40, gardener, were each charged with being the keeper of a common gaming-house, situated on the Botany-road, North Botany, on Sunday, the 25th instant. They pleaded guilty, and were each fined £20, with 5s 10d costs of court, and 5s interpreter's fees. Boon Chew, age 42, gambler, and Ah Bun, age 38, gardener, were each charged with acting as banker in a common gaming-house, situated on the Botany-road, North Botany, on Sunday, the 25th instant. They pleaded guilty, and were each fined £20, with 5s 10d costs of court, and 5s interpreter's fees. Ah Yat, age 43, gardener, and Fat Choy, age 29, shopkeeper, were charged with acting in the capacity of croupiers on the same occasion. They also pleaded guilty, and were each fined £20, with 5s 6d costs of court, and 5s interpreter's fees. The evidence in the above cases showed that about 8 p.m. on Sunday evening Inspector Bremner, together with Sergeants Sautel and M'Donagh, and Senior-constable M'Kee and a posse of seven police, proceeded to a two-storied dwelling-house at North Botany occupied by Chinese, where they met Senior-constable Bruce and Constables Redshaw, Small, and M'Donald, of the Botany Division. Senior-constable Bruce and Constable Redshaw entered by the back of the premises, and for some each watched a game of fan-tan being played in separate rooms. At a given signal a rush was made on the premises, and the whole of those playing at the game, 39 in number, including four Europeans (two boys and two men), were arrested. Money was found on the table and in various drawers in the house to the extent of over £100. As soon as the alarm was given the Chinamen scattered in all directions, and one of their number, who had been acting in the capacity of banker, rushed out on to the roof of the premises, and jumped a distance of 20ft. He was, however, secured and brought back.

In the Summons Division of the Redfern Police Court yesterday, before Mr. Smithers, S.M., the following were each charged with having, on Sunday evening, the 25th instant, been found in a common gaming-house situated on the Botany-road, North Botany, for an unlawful purpose, viz.:—George Fox, age 38, bootmaker; Peter Bennaly, age 38, bootmaker; Henry Hall, age 19, labourer; George Siddons, age 17, bookbinder; Ah Low, age 28, gardener; Ah Sam, age 30, dealer; Ah Bat, age 30, gardener; Ah Foo, age 45, dealer; Ah Chum, age 44, gardener; Ah War, age 30, gardener; Ah Win, age 32, gardener; Ah Gung, age 34, gardener; Ah Ging, age 23, dealer; Ah Fook, age 29, gardener; Ah Bin, age 31, dealer; Ah War, age 39, dealer; Ah Kin, age 25, gardener; Ah Guy, age 40, gardener; Ah Gee, age 33, dealer; In Kee, age 24, gardener; Stow Ham, age 28, gardener; Ung Quing, age 32, gardener; Guy Gwang, age 43, gardener; How Kee, age 63, gardener; Way Haw, age 41, dealer; Yee Go, age 34, gardener; Jang Mow, age 64, gardener; Sam Tin, age 30, gardener; Bow Lee, age 53, dealer; Fook Wing, age 44, gardener; Ging Go, age 42, gardener; Fook Jam, age 24, dealer; and Guy Yow, age 29, gardener. They each pleaded guilty, and were ordered to pay a fine of 10s, with 5s 6d costs of court and 5s interpreter's fees in each case. The total of the fines in both courts amounted to £157 1s 6d, and in nearly every case the fine was paid.

A SERIES OF CHARGES.

At the Newtown Police Court yesterday, before Mr. Smithers, S.M., Richard Russell, alias Reddan, age 37, was charged with having offended against decency in Stephen-street, Newtown, on Saturday evening, for which he was ordered to pay a fine of £1, in default 14 days' gaol. He was further charged with having, on the same occasion, violently assaulted Constable George Anderson by kicking him on the head and body. For this conduct he was ordered to be imprisoned, with hard labour, for two months, and for a similar assault committed on Constable Read, who went to the assistance of Constable Anderson, he was ordered to be imprisoned for a further period of two months. He was then charged with having, on the same occasion, wilfully damaged a pair of uniform trousers of the value of 10s 4d, the property of the Government. On this charge he was ordered to pay the damage done and 10s fine, in default 21 days' gaol.

### CENTRAL LICENSING COURT.

The weekly meeting of the Central Licensing Court was held yesterday. Messrs. Penny, L.M., and Delohery, Smithers, and Johnson, S.Ms., occupied the bench. Applications for renewals of licenses were granted to George J. Handy, of the Railway Parade Hotel, Kogarah; and to C. Walker, of the Prince of Wales Hotel, King-street, Newtown. An application by Jas. Watson, King-street, Newtown, for a transfer of his colonial wine license to Adam Gibson, was also granted. The hearing of an application by F. J. Wilson, for the renewal of his license of the Zetland Hotel, Waterloo, was postponed till Wednesday, the police having lodged an objection on the ground that applicant had been fined £20 in March last for selling adulterated liquor.

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## SHIPPING.

ARRIVALS.—August 26.

Elingamite (s.), 2585 tons, Captain P. W. Bull, from Melbourne 24th August. Passengers—Mesdames Phelan and child, J. Murdoch and 2 children, Heap, Biggs, Hasell, A. Rolfe, Broomfield, M'Connell, Guthrie, Foster, Misses Sliman, Hipburn, Calder, Henley, E. Murdock, Le Compte, M'Beath, Klepper, Mathews, Murcott, Linett, Pyne, Sargeant, C. M'Clure, G. M'Clure, M. Miller, Coley, Gresham, Johnson, Messrs. Sliman, Thomson, Rimmell, W. Smithe, L. E. Sharp, Daniel, G. Dean, B. Hasell, J. M. Johnes, D. Crichton, S. Cohen, Harvey, W. C. Gumby, Dr. M'Clure, J. M'Clure, Hagan, H. Robinson, Butterworth, S. Chandler, G. W. Binney, Master M'Clure, and 31 in the steerage. Huddart, Parker, and Co., Limited, agents.

Tanais (s.), 1734 tons, Captain Vincot, from Noumea 22nd August. Passengers—Mr. Bijeire, Rev. Volenski, Mr. and Mme. Moulin, Captain Barbaroux, Lieutenant Lemaquin, Mr. Ceccopino Eussoli and family, Mr. and Mrs. Carbillas and family, Mrs. Loune and family, Mr. and Mrs. John, Mr. J. Branchard, and 32 in the steerage; also 22 marines. Eugene Blanc, agent.

Wodonga (s.), 2340 tons, Captain J. E. Mesburn, from Melbourne. Passengers—Mesdames D. Ring and 4 children, Livy, Seymour, G. Mackie, Blackwell, Humphreys, R. L. Hodgson, J. A. Robinson, A. H. Gibbs, Misses Sharp, Macdougall, Brown, Cook, Hutchinson, Tewsley, Messrs. H. Rose, H. S. Dorning, J. Macdougall, G. M. Cornish, Stirling, King, R. W. Muir, G. F. Wheeler, W. P. Whitney, E. P. Wainwright, D. Macdougall, F. Thomas, Geo. Mackie, Dencole, R. L. Hodgson, Stainer, Livy, H. Jones, H. E. Hills, A. H. Gibbs, J. A. Clark, Hon. W. A. Long. For Queensland ports: Mesdames W. L. Garrard, Beckman, Hinchcliffe, Misses Smith, Humphreys, E. Moore, Rev. Haskett-Smith, Dr. Hinchcliffe, Messrs. Nicoll, F. E. Nott, J. A. Bruce, Honeybone, W. Loveland, G. Hicks, Beckman, A. Wehl, and 49 in second cabin. Burns, Philp, and Co., Limited, agents.

Pukaki (s.), 1444 tons, Captain W. H. Pearce, from Launceston, via North-west Coast ports and Eden. Passengers—Mesdames Price and child, Asher, Misses Thompson, Wilding, Bolton, Messrs. Harrison, Price, Haigh, Lakin, Steer, Ede, Walker, Tilly, Dean, Poors, Captain Bradley, Major Dean, and 6 in the steerage. F. W. Jackson, agent.

Harriett, schooner, 99 tons, from Townsville.

Maori (s.), 5200 tons, Captain Moffatt, from Melbourne. John Bell, agent.

Illawarra (s.), 522 tons, Captain J. Garde, from South Coast ports. Illawarra S. N. Company, Limited, agents.

Coomonderry (s.), 146 tons, Captain Duck, from South Coast ports. Huddart, Parker, and Co., Limited, agents.

Menmuir (s.), 1980 tons, Captain Craig, from Melbourne 24th August. Gibbs, Bright, and Co., agents.

DEPARTURES.—August 26.

Tasmania (s.), for Hobart.
Wollowra (s.), for Port Kembla.
Manapouri (s.), for Newcastle.
Pukaki (s.), for Port Kembla.
Orient, R.M.S., for London.
Adelaide, schooner, for Thames, via Newcastle.

PROJECTED DEPARTURES.—August 27.

Australien, French mail steamer, for Marseilles, via ports; Aramac (s.), for Melbourne; Wodonga (s.), for Brisbane and ports; Barrabool (s.), for Brisbane and ports; Adelaide (s.), for Melbourne, Adelaide, Port Pirie, and Gulf ports; Illawarra S. N. Company's steamers, for Wollongong, Kiama, and Shoalhaven; City of Grafton (s.), for Clarence River; Peterborough (s.), for Ulladulla, Nelligen, and Bateman's Bay; Sydney (s.), for Newcastle; Midget (s.), for Gosford.

CLEARANCES.—August 26.

Orient, Royal mail steamer, 5365 tons, Captain H. E. Inskip, for London, via ports, with passengers as published yesterday.

Kurrara (s.), 386 tons, Captain J. M'George, for Solomon Islands, via Cairns and Newcastle, in ballast.

Pukaki (s.), 1444 tons, Captain W. A. Pearce, for Port Kembla, in ballast.

Manapouri (s.), 1782 tons, Captain J. Anderson, for Newcastle, with part original cargo.

Wollowra (s.), 2024 tons, Captain T. W. Lockyer, for Port Kembla, in ballast.

Tasmania (s.), 2252 tons, Captain Thomas M'Gee, for Hobart. Passengers—Mesdames Morgan, Barber, C. R. Hewitt, Hare, Kondinowitsch, Misses Barber (2), Walker (2), Innes, Briant, Messrs. L. Manning, A. Moir, L. J. Fox, S. Lamb, A. Wright, W. Rowntree, W. Mason, R. E. Chaffer, C. R. Hewett, F. Quinlan, Hare, Masters Barber, Hare, and 6 in the steerage.

COASTERS OUTWARD.—August 26.

May Howard, schooner, Captain Henrikson, for Port Macquarie; Loch Lee, schooner, Captain D. Murray, for Catherine Hill Bay; Palmerston (s.), Captain D. Macauley, for Wollongong; Resolute (s.), Captain T. Troin, for Kiama.

IMPORTS.—August 26.

[A special charge is made for consignees' notices in this column.]

Pukaki (s.), from Launceston: 13,320 sacks potatoes, 355 sacks turnips, 431 sacks bark, 27 sacks oats, 4259 bags silver ore, 305 bags pyrites, 1369 ingots tin, 15 ingots zinc, 6 sacks hides, 25 hides, 3329 staves, and quantity sundries.

Wodonga (s.), from Melbourne: 147 packages tea, 485 boxes butter, 166 bags onions, 1 crate vegetables, 134 bags malt, 301 bags flour, 14 bags potatoes, 258 bags chaff, 630 bales straw, 100 cases patent medicines, 322 lengths tubes, 214 bars iron, 50 bags manure, 24 bales strawboards, 286 cases wines and spirits, 646 packages merchandise, quantity sundries, and through cargo for Queensland ports.

Tanais (s.), from Noumea: 9969 sacks chrome, 2097 sacks cobalt, 987 sacks copra, and a quantity miscellaneous cargo.

Harriett, schooner, from Townsville: 1250 sacks bonedust.

Ouraka (s.), from Tasmania: 14,074 bags potatoes, 550 bags turnips, 23 bags oats, 1664 bags chaff, 23 cases butter, 4600 staves, 12 bags barley, 41,126 ingots copper, 6125 bars lead, 182 bales straw.

Elingamite (s.), from Melbourne: 2 barrels oil, 1 cask lampware, 2 bales carpets, 57 empty oil casks, 1 case hardware, 2 cases drapery, 6 packages rockers, 1 case glassware, 1 bale furskins, 45 cases butter, 100 bags malt, 40 bags of hops, 50 cases hops, 92 bundles rattans, 50 cases butter, 40 cases meats, 50 cases schnapps, 10 baskets vegetables, 27 bags hides, 4 bags vegetables, 4 crates bottles, 200 bags flour, 867 bags potatoes, 1216 bags onions, 14,290 bags chaff, 2 bales packs, 1 bale paper, 1 truss leather, 6 crates cabbages.

Ex Samuel Plimsoll, from London: 9 cases 54 reels paper—John Fairfax and Sons.

EXPORTS.—August 26.

Orient, Royal Mail steamer, for London: 11 boxes sovereigns (£5000), 2483 carcases mutton, 5958 cases meats, 597 quarters 6 pieces beef, 534 bales wool, 98 casks tallow, 111 cases pelts, 179 bales leather, 111 bales basils, 1 package opals (£800), 13,129 bags ore, 10,426 ingots copper, 58 bales furs, 4 cases plants, 2 cases silks, 4 casks wine, 9 cases pearlshells, 4 cases butter and cheese, and sundries.

Tasmania (s.), for Hobart: 20 cases brandy, 88 bags sugar, 6 cases resin, 6 rolls lead, 4 cases claret, 2 packages ferns, 18 rolls lead, 83 packages groceries, 130 bags bonedust, 20 cases turpentine, 2 cases geneva, 4 bags maize, 8 sacks pimento, 50 bales gunnies, 4 casks bottles, 125 cases kerosene, 40 cases galvanised iron, 3 cases oil, 75 cases fruit, 19 cases brandy, 3 packages books, quantity of timber, 6 cases chairs, 4 case handles, 11 bales brooms, 285 sheep, 89 packages merchandise, and sundries.

CUSTOM-HOUSE. Entered Outward: August 26, Sachsen, German mail steamer, 5348 tons, Captain H. Supmer, for Bremen; S. D. Carleton, ship, 1788 tons, Captain Amesbury, for London; Neotsfield, ship, 1820 tons, Captain J. B. Rugg, for London; Brilliant, ship, 1613 tons, Captain C. W. Davidson, for London; Barrabool (s.), 942 tons, Captain W. Hammer, for Brisbane; Manapouri (s.), 1782 tons, Captain J. Anderson, for Auckland; Pukaki (s.), 1444 tons, Captain W. A. Pearce, for Launceston, via Eden; Taiyuan (s.), 2269 tons, Captain P. Nelson, for Melbourne; Kurrara (s.), 386 tons, Captain J. M'George, for Solomon Islands, via Cairns; Ouraka (s.), 2670 tons, Captain W. Donaldson, for Newcastle; Wollowra (s.), 2008 tons, Captain T. W. Lockyer, for Newcastle.

The Tanais left Noumea with very fine weather on the 22nd, at 12 o'clock, trade winds the 23rd till the 24th, north wind the 25th; arrived Sydney the 26th, 8 a.m.

The Pendle Hill arrived from Newcastle at Napier yesterday.

The barque Alcestis, from Newcastle, yesterday arrived at Port Chalmers.

The Jasper left Noumea 21st August for Lady Elliott Island, to load guano for Invercargill.

The Caledonie left Noumea 17th August for Saigon.

The Scottish Isles, while outward bound to Glasgow with a cargo of nickel ore, was set near the reef and had to fetch up in a critical position. She was subsequently towed out to an offing.

Captain Percy W. Bull reports that the Elingamite left Melbourne at 2 p.m. on the 24th, and arrived at Sydney at 1 p.m. on the 26th. Met with strong N.W. and W. winds and squally weather to Gabo, thence fresh N.W. winds and fine weather till arrival.

Captain J. E. Mesburn reports that the s.s. Wodonga left Melbourne on the 24th instant, clearing Port Phillip Heads at 6.38 p.m. same date, rounded Wilson's Promontory 2.19 a.m. 25th, passed Gabo Island 3.30 p.m. same date, entered Sydney Heads 9.10 a.m. on the 26th, and berthed at Lime-street Wharf. Experienced moderate N.W. winds, fine clear weather and smooth sea throughout passage.

The River Hunter has been in Rowntree's Dock for cleaning and painting. Yesterday the ferry boats Conqueror and Cygnet were in, and the Lady Napier will be taken in to-day.

Captain Pearce reports that the Pukaki left Launceston at 11.30 a.m. on the 21st instant, called at Stanley and Bernie on the 22nd instant, arriving at Devonport at 12.30 p.m.; left there again at 2.30 p.m. on the 23rd instant, cleared Kent's Group at 3.40 a.m. on the 24th instant, had Gabo Island abeam at 9.15 p.m. same day, arrived at Eden at 1 p.m. on the 25th instant; left again at 3.50 p.m., entered the Heads at 4.15 a.m. on the 26th instant, arriving at the wharf at 5.15 a.m. Experienced a strong westerly gale with heavy sea as far as Gabo, from there to Eden had light variable winds, and thence to arrival had strong N.W. gale.

THE MAIL STEAMERS.

The R.M.S. Ruapehu arrived at Plymouth on the 23rd instant.

The R.M.S. Rimutaka left Plymouth on the 24th for New Zealand ports.

THE GULF LINE.

The Gulf of Bothnia is on her way to Sydney, from Manila, to take up a berth for London.

The Gulf of Lions sails this week for the Continent and London with a full cargo of wool and deck load of horses.

FAST SAILING OF THE LOCH NESS.

Our Melbourne correspondent wires:—The ship Loch Ness, from Glasgow, via Adelaide, was reported as being inside the Heads this evening. She made a smart run round the coast from Adelaide, leaving on Friday. The vessel put in excellent work under the favourable winds, and was boarded by the pilot outside Port Phillip Heads on Saturday night.

STORMY VOYAGES OF STEAMERS.

Our Melbourne correspondent wires:—The steamers Peregrine and Burrumbeet, which arrived to-day (Monday) from Sydney, report having had to fight against heavy westerly gales, accompanied by high seas and hard squalls.

SMART SAILING OF A SCHOONER.

Mr. W. S. Preddey writes:—The schooner Tottie left Sydney at 1 p.m. on the 4th instant, deeply laden with cement and bricks, bound for the Clarence, and reached the Clarence Heads at 3 a.m. on the 6th instant, thus covering the distance, 294 miles, in 38 hours.

BAR HARBOURS.

Port Macquarie bar yesterday had 11ft. on at high water.

The pilot at Brunswick River yesterday wired that a small boat channel had formed on the bar.

The Macleay bar yesterday had 9ft. 6in. on it.

Richmond River yesterday reported 14ft. on the bar, 9ft. in channel at high water, no crossing.

TELEGRAPHIC SHIPPING NEWS.

(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENTS.)

BRISBANE.—August 26, the Arawatta (s.) arrived at Townsville from Cairns. The Burwah (s.) arrived at Rockhampton from Brisbane. The Bullarra (s.) arrived from Sydney to-day. The Cintra (s.) arrived at Flattop from Brisbane. The Changsha (s.) arrived at Townsville from south. The Chingtu (s.) left the bay for south. The Derwent (s.) leaves for north on Tuesday. The Burrimbla (s.) left Bundaberg for Brisbane. The Fitzroy (s.) arrived at Rockhampton from Brisbane. The Leura (s.) arrived from Sydney. H.M.S. Orlando and H.M.S. Royalist are expected in the bay. The Titus (s.) left Cairns for Townsville. The Warrego (s.) left for Northern ports. The Yaralla (s.) leaves Bundaberg for Brisbane on Tuesday.

NEWCASTLE.—Arrivals: August 26, Elengfell, barque, from Brisbane; Tamar (s.), Fiona (s.), Sterling (s.), Sophia Ann (s.), Amy, Prospero, Marie, brigs, Jones Brothers, Annie Bow, schooners, from Sydney; Indra, German barque, from Adelaide. Departures: August 26, Victoria, schooner, for Nambucca River; Fiona (s.), for the ... River; Tasmania (s.), for Hobart, via Sydney, ... coal; Noxkoowa (s.), for Melbourne, with 2100 tons coal; Poherua (s.), for Auckland, via Sydney, with 720 tons coal; Hally Bayley, schooner, Sophia Ann (s.), Sydney (s.), for Sydney.

YAMBA.—Arrival: August 26, Kallatina (s.), from Sydney.

MELBOURNE.—Arrivals: August 26, Woolloomooloo (s.), from London; Peregrine (s.) and Burrumbeet (s.), from Sydney; Glaucus (s.), from Kembla.

ADELAIDE.—Arrivals: August 24, Beltana, barque, from London; Industry (s.), from Melbourne. August 25, Sonneberg (s.), from Hamburg; Clitus (s.), from Calcutta; Letterewe, barque, from Liverpool. Departure: August 24, Melbourne (s.), for Fremantle.

ADELAIDE.—Arrival: August 26, Oceana, R.M.S., from Sydney. Departure: August 26, Clitus (s.), for Melbourne.

PORT PIRIE.—Departure: August 26, Craiglee (s.), for Brisbane, via Melbourne and Sydney.

(FROM THE BOARD AT THE TELEGRAPH OFFICE.)

TWEED HEADS.—Arrival: August 26, Augusta (s.).

BYRON BAY.—Arrivals: August 26, Augusta (s.) and Wollumbin (s.) at daylight, from Sydney. Departures: August 26, Augusta (s.) at 10 a.m., and Wollumbin (s.) at noon, for Sydney.

RICHMOND RIVER HEADS.—Arrival: August 26, Oakland (s.) off bar.

CLARENCE HEADS.—Arrival: August 26, Kallatina (s.) at 6.30 a.m.

WOOLGOOLGA.—Passed: August 26, Coraki (s.) at noon, north.

MACLEAY HEADS.—Departure: August 26, Burrawong (s.) at 1 p.m.; 9ft. 6in. on bar at high water.

SEAL ROCKS.—Passed: August 26, Kingsley at 2.40 p.m., south.

CAMDEN HAVEN HEADS.—Arrival: August 26, Coral, ketch, at 10 a.m., from Newcastle. Departures: August 26, Mary Laurie, ketch, at 10.30 a.m., and Lucretia, schooner, at 11 a.m., for Sydney.

PORT STEPHENS.—Passed: August 26, barque at 7.40 a.m., south; Fiona (s.) at 10.15 a.m., north.

BARRANJOEY.—Departures: August 26, S. A. Hayward, ketch, at 6.30 a.m., for Camden Haven; Hawkesbury at 6.5 p.m., for Sydney.

WOLLONGONG.—Arrival: August 26, Eratonga (s.) at 8.30 a.m., from Kiama. Departures: August 26, Garron, schooner, at 11 a.m., for Sydney; Albatross, schooner, at 11.40 a.m., for Botany.

CROOKHAVEN HEADS.—Departure: August 26, Illawarra (s.) at 9 a.m., for Sydney.

JERVIS BAY.—Passed: August 26, barquentine at 6 a.m., north; ketch like Jane Morehead resumed voyage north at 8 a.m.; ketch Petrel, that was reported going north at 10 a.m. yesterday, put into bay at 6 p.m. to-day with her topmast gone. The Allowrie passed north at 6.5 p.m.

KIAMA.—Arrival: August 26, Civility (s.) at 6 a.m., from Sydney. Departure: August 26, Norman, schooner, at 1 p.m., for Wollongong.

MORUYA HEADS.—Passed: August 26, Karawerra (s.) at 6 35 a.m., south.

GABO ISLAND.—Passed: August 26, barque at 7.30 a.m., north; barque at 7.30 a.m., west; four-masted ship at 8.20 a.m., north, too distant to signal; barque at 1.30 p.m., north.

WILSON'S PROMONTORY.—Passed inward: August 26, steamer at 12.45 a.m.

LAUNCESTON.—Departure: August 26, Pateena at 5.17 p.m., for Melbourne.

ALBANY.—Departure: August 25, R.M.S. Orizaba, for Colombo. Arrival: August 25, Marloo (s.), from Fremantle.

FREMANTLE.—Arrivals: August 25, Rockton (s.), from Albany; West Australian (s.), from London.

WELLINGTON.—Departure: August 26, H.M.S. Ringarooma at 5.30 a.m., for Auckland.

## METEOROLOGICAL REPORTS.

Average annual rainfall for 36 years, 50·560.

Average for 37 years from 1st January to 28th July, 35·379.

Total rainfall from 1st January, 1895, to 31st August, 22·068.

Sydney standard barometer at 9 a.m., 29·834.

STATE OF BAROMETERS AT 9 A.M. ON MONDAY.

Carnarvon, 30·02; Gascoigne, 30·09; Perth, 30·01; Eucla, 29·93; Streaky Bay, 29·93; Adelaide, 29·83; Robe, 29·58; Portland, 29·46; Melbourne, 29·55; Wilson's Promontory, 29·27; Gabo Island, 29·50; Cape St. George, 29·70; Sydney, 29·83; Newcastle, 29·89; Port Macquarie, 29·98; Clarence Heads, 30·00; Brisbane, 30·03; Rockhampton, 30·08; Mackay, 30·06; Cooktown, 30·08.

SYNOPSIS AT 9 A.M. BY MR. H. C. RUSSELL, GOVERNMENT ASTRONOMER.

New South Wales.—Cloudy, dull, to showery in the S.; fine in the N.

Victoria and Straits.—Unsettled to showery generally.

Queensland.—Fine, but cloudy on N.E. coast and Peninsula; elsewhere fine and clear.

South Australia.—More or less cloudy to dull, showery, and squally.

Western Australia.—Unsettled in the S.W.; elsewhere fine and clear.

Central and Northern Australia.—Generally fine and clear.

New Zealand.—Fine and clear generally.

New Caledonia.—Fine and clear at Gomen; overcast at Noumea.

RAIN HAS FALLEN IN THE PREVIOUS 48 HOURS.

New South Wales.—Light in the south. Albury, 0·30; Bowral, 0·1; Carcoar, 0·02; Deniliquin, 0·05; Germanton, 0·21; Kiandra, 0·30; Morangarell, 0·07; Moss Vale, 0·01; Murrumburrah, 0·03; Orange, 0·05; Wagga, 0·04; Wentworth, 0·02; Young, 0·06.

South Australia.—Light to heavy generally. Adelaide, 0·58; Port Augusta, 0·25.

Victoria.—Light to moderate generally; heavy (1·22) at Portland. Cape Schanck, 0·14; Melbourne, 0·02; Portland, 1·74; Wilson's Promontory, 0·37.

Tasmania.—Light to heavy generally; thunder, hail, and dust storms in south-eastern colonies.

Western Australia.—Light in the S.W.

RIVER REPORTS AT 9 A.M.

Albury, 7ft. 10in.; Balranald, 8ft. 9in.; Bourke, low; Brewarrina, low; Euabalong, 3ft. 6in., falling; Euston, 17ft.; Forbes, 4ft., rising; Gooloogong, low; Gundagai, 9ft. 8in., falling; Hay, 5ft. 6in.; Hillston, 3ft. 5in., falling; Louth, low; Manilla, low; Menindie, 8ft. 1in.; Mogil Mogil, low; Mungundi, 1ft. 3in.; Pooncarie, 2ft. 9in.; Tilpa, low; Tocumwal, 7ft. 10in.; Wagga Wagga, 10ft. 1in.; Wentworth, 10ft. 11in.; Wilcannia, 2ft. 9in.; Yetman, low; Barwon River at Walgett, 1ft. 8in., stationary; Namoi River at Walgett, 11in., stationary; Goondiwindi, low; Bingara, 6in.

3 P.M. OBSERVATIONS ON MONDAY.

Dubbo, N.W., cloudy, 66°; Bourke, S., fine, 77°; Newcastle, N.W., fine, 68°; Clarence, N.E., fine, 71°; Deniliquin, N.W., cloudy, 65°; Forbes, W., cloudy, 60°; Sydney, W., cloudy, 71°; Wilcannia, S.W., fine, 69°; Wentworth, W., cloudy, 62°; Goulburn, N.W., fine, 67°; Taralga, fine; Cootamundra, raining; Grenfell, fine.

It was showery at Burrowa, Cooma, Jerilderie, Kiandra, Moulamein, and Tumut.

COASTAL WEATHER REPORTS AT 3 P.M.

Tweed Heads, N., light, fine, sea smooth; Byron Bay, N.E., light, fine, sea smooth; Ballina N.W., light, fine, sea smooth; Clarence Heads, N.E., strong, fine, sea smooth; Woolgoolga, N.N.E., light, hazy, sea smooth; Bellinger Heads, N.E., fine, sea smooth; Nambucca Heads, N., hazy, sea smooth; Macleay Heads, N., fine, sea smooth; Port Macquarie, N.E., light, fine, sea smooth; Manning Heads, N., light, fine, sea smooth; Seal Rocks, calm, hazy, sea smooth; Port Stephens, N.E., light, fine, sea smooth; Newcastle, W.N.W., fresh, hazy, sea smooth; Lake Macquarie Heads, W., fresh, fine, sea smooth; Catherine Hill Bay, W., fresh, fine, sea smooth; Barranjoey, N.W., light, fine, sea smooth; South Head, W.N.W., moderate, fine, sea smooth; Wollongong, N.W., light, fine, sea smooth; Kiama, W.S.W., strong, fine, sea smooth; Crookhaven Heads, W., fresh, cloudy, sea smooth; Jervis Bay, W., strong, fine, sea moderate; Ulladulla, W., light, fine, sea smooth; Bateman's Bay, W., light, fine, sea smooth; Moruya, N.W., fresh, fine, sea smooth; Eden, N.W., light, cloudy, sea smooth; Green Cape, W., light, fine, sea smooth; Gabo Island, N.W., light, fine, sea smooth.

FORECAST ISSUED AT 4 P.M. ON MONDAY.

New South Wales.—Fresh to strong N.W. to W. winds; weather fine generally, except south-eastern districts, where weather will be squally with some showers; weather very stormy between our coast and New Zealand during next two or three days.—H. C. RUSSELL.

Port Darwin reports severe shock of earthquake at 1.40 a.m., direction S.E. to N.W., vibration 30 seconds; shock also felt at Daly Waters, but not in Java as far as yet known.—C. TODD.

SPECIAL FORECASTS FOR AUSTRALASIA AND OCEANA BY MR. CLEMENT L. WRAGGE.

Western Australia.—Fine in the north, unsettled with rain in the south.

Northern Territory and Queensland.—Fine.

South Australia.—Unsettled; squally with rain in the south; rough seas.

New South Wales.—Very squally, with rough seas south from Sydney under the influence of the northern edge of disturbance Missile; fine elsewhere.

Victoria and Tasmania.—Very stormy throughout, especially over Tasmania; heavy gales from N.W. and S.W., rough to high seas, much rain.

New Zealand.—Heavy weather approaching The Bluff.

Caledonia.—Threatening.

Shipping interests are especially advised that the disturbance Missile, already advised, now south from Hobart, will produce very heavy weather between Kiama and Portland, and over all Tasmanian waters. Passengers bound to Melbourne had better proceed by train.

ASTRONOMICAL MEMORANDA FOR AUGUST 27.

Sun rises at 6.21, set at 5.32; Moon, 10.29 a.m., 11.53 p.m.; Mercury, 6.51 a.m., 6.9 p.m.; Venus, 7.16 a.m., 7.58 p.m.; Mars, 7.6 a.m., 6.40 p.m.; Jupiter, 4.32 a.m., 2.37 p.m.; Saturn, 9.10 a.m., 10.11 p.m.

Full Moon, 5th; New Moon, 20th.

High water at Fort Denison, 12.23 a.m., 12.49 p.m.

## THE MAILS.

THIS DAY.

MELBOURNE, 4.15 and 7 p.m.
QUEENSLAND, 4.45 p.m.
ADELAIDE, 4 p.m.
VALPARAISO, 8 a.m.
BATEMAN'S BAY and NELLIGEN, noon.
FORSTER and TUNCURRY, noon.
LAUNCESTON and HOBART, 4 p.m.
NEW HEBRIDES, 4 p.m.
CLARENCE RIVER, 8 p.m.

WEDNESDAY.

MACLEAY RIVER, 10 a.m.
MERIMBULA and EDEN, 11 a.m.
MONTAGUE ISLAND, noon.
AUCKLAND, &c., N.Z., 3 p.m.
WELLINGTON, &c., N.Z., 4 p.m.
MONTE VIDEO, BUENOS AYRES, CHILI, and RIO JANEIRO, 4 p.m.
SOLOMON ISLANDS, 4 p.m.
BYRON BAY, 8 p.m.

THURSDAY.

LAUNCESTON, via EDEN, 11 a.m.
LAUNCESTON and HOBART, 4 p.m.

FRIDAY.

CLYDE RIVER, 9 a.m.
UNITED KINGDOM and EUROPE, SEYCHELLES, MAURITIUS, and MADAGASCAR, 3 p.m.
DUNEDIN, &c., N.Z., 3.30 p.m.
HOBART and LAUNCESTON, 4 p.m.
NOUMEA and FIJI, 9 p.m.

SATURDAY.

BRISBANE, 1 p.m.
CLARENCE RIVER, 8 p.m.

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The Sydney Morning Herald.

TUESDAY, AUGUST 27, 1895.


Six Chinese have already been convicted of murder in connection with the Ku-Cheng massacre, and fresh arrests are being made.

It is announced that the British and U. S. Consuls are to assist in the investigation into the outbreak against the missionaries.

An American traveller reports that the French in Madagascar are in a deplorable condition, and suffering great hardships.

He says that the Hovas are preparing to make a desperate defence if the French approach Antananarivo, the capital.

A second unsuccessful attempt has been made to launch the Pothuan, a new man-of-war built for the French navy.

The *Times* suggests that a permanent embargo should be placed upon Australian store cattle imported into England.

It advocates this as a safeguard against the possibility of the importation of cattle diseases.

The shares issued by the Menzies and Crusoe Gold-mining Co., W.A., to the extent of £85,000 have been allotted.

A shed belonging to Nelson and Co., Australian produce merchants, was destroyed during the fire in Blackfriars, London.

Mr. Chamberlain's policy, says the *Times*, will mark a new era in colonial history, and vitally interest British trade.

Baron Rothschild's secretary opened the explosive letter addressed to the Baron, thinking it contained race tickets.

The international chess scores now stand—Lasker (Britain), 12 points; Tschigorin (Russia), 12; Pillsbury (U.S.), 11½.

Many of the sufferers by the fire in Wollongong on Sunday night have been left homeless and penniless.

A public meeting has been called by the Mayor of Wollongong to consider the best means of alleviating the distress.

A fire broke out in a woolshed at Brisbane yesterday morning, and destroyed 124 bales of wool as well as the building.

At Ballina, on the Richmond River, the residents decided at a public meeting to form a North Coast Anti-alien Society.

The revenue returns for the past week amounted to £133,171, as against £133,936 for the corresponding week last year.

The amount of probate duty paid on wills and letters of administration for the week ending 24th August was £4708 10s.

In the case A'Beckett v. the Railway Commissioners yesterday the jury awarded plaintiff £900 for damages sustained in the Redfern accident.

There arrived at Maclean last night the first gold escort that has ever been known in that locality.

The damage caused by the fire at Walgett on Sunday night is estimated at something between £2000 and £3000.

Affairs in connection with the fire at Block 11 mine do not look nearly so promising as they did a few days ago.

To the long list of fires already recorded is to be added an outbreak at West Wallsend, which destroyed two buildings.

Mr. S. W. Bradbury has just returned from a visit to England and the Continent, in connection with the export meat trade.

He predicts a very great future for Australian products, and points to the causes of past failures in the industry.

Disastrous bush fires have been general throughout the colony during the past few days. Boisterous winds have assisted.

It is probable that the Premier will announce to the Assembly this evening the dates upon which the duties will be taken off.

The Minister for Works is anxious to get the Loan Bill through as early as possible, to provide reproductive work.

Petitions against the land and income tax proposals of the Government are being circulated among the various municipalities.

Sydney wool brokers regard the opinions of London experts as to the prospects of the next wool season as too sanguine.

That there will be an improvement they make no doubt, but it is impossible to forecast so far ahead.

Mark Twain has cabled to Melbourne to say that he will arrive a week later than he had anticipated at first.

Dr. Bevan says that under present circumstances it is as feasible to put out volcano fires as to put down gambling.

Floods, accompanied by fierce north-west gales, have occurred in Tasmania, causing considerable damage in the coastal districts.

It is reported that a nugget weighing about 11lb troy, worth £530, has been found by two miners in the Inglewood district (Victoria).

The week's business in the Stock and Share market opened yesterday with a good tone and a moderate amount of business.

Business was excessively light in the Import market yesterday, especially in goods likely to be affected by tariff alterations.

At Darling Harbour yesterday 1839 bales of wool were manifested, 2745 arrived coastwise, and 310 were received by rail at Newcastle on Saturday.

A good day's business was reported in the Mining market yesterday. Quotations as a rule were a trifle firmer.

The Customs revenue yesterday amounted to £10,344. To this the 10 per cent. ad valorem duties contributed £1741 and the 15 per cent. £268.

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Although the latest declarations of the intentions of the Ministry in regard to its financial procedure have added to the uncertainties of the outlook, the short and complementary financial statement to be delivered to-night by the Treasurer will be awaited with all the more interest on that account. The speech will form the Treasurer's first financial statement in the new Parliament and the second for the year. On the 9th of May he delivered his last one. It was towards the close of the half-year, which will stand by itself as the period separating the calendar year's financial statements from those which are to cover the business year of the colony. At that time the Treasurer was able to show that the deficiency for 1894 was £143,000 less than he had estimated in November of that year, reducing the expected deficiency to £1,322,000. Then his forecast of the deficiency at the end of June was £1,216,253. The result of the half-year's business showed that the revenue was £53,000 better than his anticipations. This was the more gratifying inasmuch as the Customs revenue was much reduced by the check given to business through the withholding of payments in anticipation of the free tariff which was to have come into operation on the 1st of July. We shall be told when the Treasurer makes his financial statement what was the exact expenditure for the half-year, and what exactly the deficiency which is to be provided for by Treasury bills. Under the new arrangement now to be introduced, which will give the revenue and expenditure on a cash basis, we shall know here as in England, on the termination of the year, the exact state of the accounts. Then there will be no necessity to wait for those Ministerial explanations which in the past have caused so much controversy. What belongs to this year, what has been charged to the last, and how much may be put forward to the next, are questions which ought in future not to take up so much of the time of Parliament as heretofore.

For the year beginning in July, the Colonial Treasurer in May last estimated a revenue of £9,118,000, and an expenditure of £9,062,000. This was on the basis of the abolition of the ad valorem duties from the 1st of July, and in expectation of land and income taxes. The loss in the one case was estimated at £555,000, and the gain in the other at £508,000. In his next estimate the Treasurer will have to credit the year's accounts with at least two months' ad valorem duties. So far the break in his programme turns out to his advantage, though perhaps nothing will be gained, for the amount of the duties will be off-set by that of the cost of an expensive general election. Otherwise, as far as we are aware, little has occurred to warrant any material alteration in the Treasurer's forecast. Any change should be for the better. The course of events within the colony continues to make towards the restoration of more prosperous conditions. A further fall of rain would add to the assurance. Merchants look for recovery of trade, which will stimulate subsidiary interests. This will give the Treasurer a larger income in the way of duty from the comparatively few articles that are to comprise the new tariff, the Railway Commissioners an increase of revenue, and the heads of other Government departments better returns. Wise men from the other colonies see the prospect, and are coming to share in it. Merchants from Victoria observe that the freedom of the port must increase the measure of its traffic. Moreover, since the Colonial Treasurer made his last financial statement the improvement in trade in Great Britain, in the United States, and throughout the outside world generally, has been considerable. Expected it was even then; but it has since developed, and brought with it a rise in the prices of our staple products. What importance the Treasurer allowed to attach in his estimate to his expectation of improvement in business we are not aware, but certainly its progress warrants an estimate quite as favourable as that which he gave in May last.

With an abundance of unemployed money in the colony, the Colonial Treasurer is justified in making a favourable forecast of the year on which we have entered. But for the uncertainty indeed there would before this have been a considerably greater improvement in industry and trade. When the freer tariff is in operation, the present spirit of doubt and hesitation should disappear, and the people begin to use their capital in the development of the resources of the country by giving employment to idle members of the community. These are still too numerous; but their number is too few to meet working requirements when once again full confidence is restored as between the capitalist and labourer, and industries can be established on a remunerative basis. The question of adjustment has been one of the unpleasant problems in course of solution during the past year or two. It is this which has led many of our correspondents to affirm that the duty of the Government as an employer of labour has not been fulfilled, and to think that the Treasurer has still a favourable opportunity to spare the taxpayers by retrenchment. However that may be, we may hope that the Treasurer's proposal to put the Civil Service beyond political influence will bear good fruit, and that his realisation of a larger revenue will not be spoiled by an extravagant expenditure in any department. And above all, we trust that no matters of secondary interest will be permitted to occupy the precious first weeks of the new Parliament's existence, or to retard the work of putting our tariff and our finances upon a fixed and stable basis.

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It is rather curious at this time of day to find ourselves, as a consequence of an allusion in one of the lectures of Dr. JOSEPH COOK, discussing the question of the effects of the introduction of machinery on the condition and on the future of the labouring classes. It appears, indeed, that in what he had to say on this subject the learned lecturer gave somewhat too exclusive prominence to the darker aspect of the question. It is true, no doubt, that labour-saving appliances, on their first introduction into an industry, are often the cause of distress that is both acute and widespread, and it is also true that many instances can be pointed out in which the minute subdivision of labour that accompanies machinery has shown a tendency to impair the efficiency of the individual as a man all round. Fortunately, however, this is neither the whole truth nor, indeed, its most conspicuous feature. If it were, we should be forced to despair of the future of our civilisation, so long as it progressed on its present lines, and might even begin to feel that some revolutionary remedy, if such were possible, might be a less evil than the continuance of things in their present groove.

The whole truth, however, is something very different. Generally speaking, the accepted view of the relation of increased wages and shortened hours to the economy of industry has, in the light of statistics that cannot be gainsaid, undergone a very great alteration of late years. Nothing in the condition of Great Britain used to cause graver misgivings to political economists than the fact that the standard of living and the rate of wages were on a higher level than they were on the Continent of Europe. How, it was asked, was it possible that factories which were worked for eight hours a day, and which paid wages, perhaps, at the rate of 4s per day in England, could compete with factories, it might be, in Belgium which were worked for 12 hours a day, and which paid wages at the rate of 3s? It is found, however, in practice that they can compete very well. Indeed, it seems to be almost a general law, established by examples taken from innumerable departments of trade and labour, that short hours and high wages are consistent not with the highest but with the lowest cost of production. Of course there must be a limit to this, otherwise we should reach the *reductio ad absurdum* of maintaining that if factory hands worked half a day and were well paid for it their labour would be more profitable to their employers than that of those who worked eight or ten hours a day and were only moderately paid. In practice, however, this limit does not yet appear to have been almost anywhere overstepped. This is largely true even of unskilled labour. In the construction of the Canadian Grand Trunk Railway it was found that English navvies at 5s 6d to 6s were cheaper than French Canadians at 3s 6d. Even in India, where the cost of dark labour is only 4½d to 6d per day, railways cannot be constructed at less cost, mile for mile, than in England. In regard to coal-mining, it was stated in 1860 by the general secretary to the Masters' Association, "as a fact that cannot be disputed, that the production under the eight hours system that has been introduced into the South Yorkshire district this last twelve months at some of the largest collieries, is greatly in excess of what was produced by an equal number of men when the men were worked twelve or thirteen hours." *This result he attributes* to the greater energy and steadiness with which the men worked on the shorter shift.

If this is found to be largely true of unskilled labour, it is true in a much more marked degree of industries in which attention to the operations of complicated machinery is requisite. The more complicated the machinery, indeed, the more close and the more inevitable does the connection appear to be between short hours and high wages on the one hand, and low cost of production on the other. SCHULTZE GAVERNITZ, a German investigator, whose inquiries have thrown much light on the question, has come to the conclusion that the "evolution of improved machinery is found to be attended by a continual increase in the product, a fall in piece wages, and an increase in the weekly earnings." Modern machinery, indeed, is seen as the direct cause of high wages and short hours. GAVERNITZ tabulates the results of his investigations, and some of the conclusions he brings out are sufficiently surprising to be worth reproducing. In regard to spinning, for instance, comparing the years 1820 and 1882, the annual earnings of the workers averaged, in the first, £26 13s, and in the second £44 4s, while the cost of production of 1000lb. of yarn was, in 1820, 6s 4d, and in 1882, 1s 9d. In regard to weaving the results were even more amazing. In 1820 the average earnings of those employed were £20 18s per annum; in 1882 they were £39; while in the former year the cost of 1000lb. of woven stuff was 15s 5d, and in the latter it was only 2s 3d. The same thing is generally true of all industries almost without exception. The working classes are, of course, doubly the gainers by the change; not only are their actual earnings greater, but the money they earn goes several times as far in purchasing many of the necessaries of life. If the process continues for another half-century at the same rate as in the past, grinding poverty will be in a fair way, without any economical revolution, to be banished from the civilised world. It may be found, in the long run, that the EDISONS, the SIEMENS, and the BESSEMERS are greater benefactors to the working classes than all the Fabian Socialists and all the dreamers of impossible Utopias.

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We are probably not far from the mark in viewing the question raised in the House of Commons relative to the inspection of the cattle and sheep killed in these colonies for export as frozen meat as being dictated by a desire to establish protection to British agriculture. Mr. RENTOUL, the member who moved in the matter, is representative of a farming constituency and is in politics a Conservative. In other words, he and the Minister who returned to his question so sympathetic a reply belong to a party which is pledged to everything in its power for the assistance of agriculture. There is the further consideration that, if the policy of throwing difficulties in the way of the admission of produce from the colonies is carried to large developments, this would be only in accord with the constant suggestions of protectionist orators and journals in these colonies. It may safely be assumed that the concern expressed as to the fitness of our exports for use as food is instigated much less by anxiety on behalf of the consumer than by the interest of the British producer. The inquiries we have made on the subject show that the anxiety expressed is entirely uncalled for, so far as we are concerned. The animals exported are killed under precisely the same conditions of sanitary supervision as those which are killed for our own consumption. But when this is said it would be a serious mistake to lose sight of the significance of this incident. If the movement was suggested by a desire to throw difficulties in the way of our sending our surplus stock in the form of meat to England, it is instructive to note the point which was thought to be most open to attack. No more formidable difficulty could be placed in our way than that which would be caused by a feeling of distrust regarding the quality of our meat. The interest of the exporter to uphold the credit of his wares ought to be an influence on the side of careful selection not less powerful than care for the health of the consumer, or even than protectionist interest on behalf of the home producer. Should our meat once be allowed to acquire a bad name, a prejudice would be created which it might take the labour and care of years to overcome. It is the duty of all engaged in the trade—exporter, shipping agent, shipping company, and receiving agent in England—to use their utmost vigilance to prevent any such result.

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According to our telegram from Melbourne in yesterday's issue, the right course in respect to the shipping accommodation for perishables seems to be that which the Victorian Premier now indicates. The Victorian Government is in communication with the other Governments interested, and a conference of Agricultural Ministers is projected, so that the offers of shipping companies for the conveyance of such cargoes as meat, butter, cheese, fruit, and the like commodities may be discussed. This action has a satisfactory ring. It is federal. A few weeks ago there appeared to be a disposition in Melbourne not only to deal with the matter as purely Victorian, but as one in which the shipping companies might be coerced into conceding the demands of the Victorian Minister by threats of withdrawing from the Australian mail service. No one will dispute the right of Victoria to make such arrangements as may best suit her producers, but there would certainly be much resentment awakened in the adjacent colonies, New South Wales, South Australia, and Tasmania, if any attempt was made to monopolise at Melbourne the cool storage accommodation of the mail steamers. The attempt could not succeed, because the English companies have to consider the probable expansion of this trade in all the colonies, and in their own interests cannot concede to one colony privileges denied to the other contributories. It is well to learn that the temporary irritation about the failure to secure a contract in London has passed off in Melbourne, and that, admitting the large common interests of the colonies in cheap, efficient, and regular accommodation for food products, the objects desired are sought by means of intercolonial agreement instead of a narrow provincialism. Federal action will make us stronger in dealing with the shipping companies, and all the advantages in view may thus be attained without arousing ill-feeling and carrying complications into the mail service.

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PARLIAMENTARY BUSINESS.—This evening the Premier will deliver a brief statement explaining in a concise manner the present position of the finances of the colony. The statement will not be long enough to be dignified by the name of a budget speech. It will simply bring the figures of the financial statement of May last up to date, and it is not unlikely also that some explanation will be given in regard to the course of public business. It is now pretty certain that the Government will invite the House to push on with the loan estimates without delay, and possibly also the Estimates-in-chief. If the Government finally decides on this course of action the reason for it will no doubt be made clear to-night. It is probable also that the Premier will to-night relieve the anxiety of the mercantile community by announcing the dates upon which the Government proposes to take off the duties. So far Ministers have given absolutely no indication of their intentions in this respect, but 30th September or 31st December appear to be the only convenient dates for the purpose. If the Government goes on with the Loan Estimates and the Estimates-in-chief at once there will not be much time left to pass the Customs Bill and direct taxation measures by the 30th September. In regard to the ordinary business of the Assembly, the first matter after questions and formal business is the consideration in Committee of the Whole of the expediency of introducing the Eight Hours Bill. Next on the order paper is the second reading of the Native Flora Protection Bill. The third matter to engage the attention of hon. members will be the resumption of the debate on the motion of Mr. H. H. Brown for the abolition of the excise duty on tobacco. Private members' motions follow in long array. Government business will come on after dinner. The Premier's statement will, of course, take precedence. Steps will, however, no doubt be taken to pass the Newcastle Harbour Improvements Bill through the preliminary stages. The Land and Income Tax Assessment Bill is down for the second reading, but it is apparently now the intention of the Government to postpone this item to a more convenient season. The Legislative Council meets to-morrow afternoon. After formal business Mr. Want will move for leave to bring in a bill to amend the law relating to the Constitution and powers of the Legislative Council, and to provide means of legislation in case of a disagreement between the Legislative Council and the Legislative Assembly, and in certain other cases. After this comes general business, including the motion declaring that Mr. Reid's statement about the Council being a "rotten and corrupt House" is "scandalous and false."

THE LAND AND INCOME TAX BILL.—A vigorous effort is being made to bring about a united protest from the municipalities against the land taxation proposals of the Government. To that end the Municipal Association is forwarding copies of a petition to the various councils, asking that the signature of the Mayor (on behalf of the ratepayers) and the corporate seal may be attached thereto. The matter is represented as one of the greatest importance and urgency, as the intention of the Government to introduce its land tax proposals before local government will inflict a great injustice on the municipalities. In fact, it was considered that a deathblow would be given to local government unless present municipalities were exempt. The petition will be sent to the Assembly. It will set forth the various arguments against the proposals, and will conclude with a prayer that the Parliament will either pass local self-government, and thereby put all people on an equality, or else make fair and equitable exemptions in respect to such areas as are already incorporated.

THE LOAN ESTIMATES.—The Minister for Works is very anxious to get the Loan Estimates through Parliament as soon as possible. He says that the Government originally expected to get these estimates through in July last, and Ministers were looking forward to their passage as calculated to afford a considerable amount of work of a reproductive character to the people in the country, who want it very much. Mr. Young says that it is not merely in the interests of the working men, but in the interests of the whole community, that the railways which had been approved of, and for which the Loan Estimates make provision, should be carried out. For instance, there is the Jerilderie and Berrigan Railway. The Government was anxious that this railway should be constructed in time to carry the crop grown in the neighbourhood during this season. That will not be possible unless the Loan Bill is passed at once. Parliament has already passed the bill authorising the Jerilderie to Berrigan Railway, and also the Parkes to Condobolin railway; but nothing can be done until the Loan Bill authorising the raising of a loan for these works has been passed. The same thing, Mr. Young says, applies to nearly all the other works on the Loan Estimates. It is assumed by the Government that these works being of a necessary, useful, and reproductive character, members of both Houses will be willing to pass them without taking much time over the operation.

WEEKLY REVENUE RETURNS.—The revenue returns for the past week show a decrease of £767 over the same week of last year, the total receipts last week having been £133,171 as against £133,938 last year. The chief increases are customs, £7698; stamps, £4685; miscellaneous land receipts, £2101. The principal decreases are land revenue from pastoral occupation, £1296; railway receipts, £3481; post office, £5937; metropolitan sewerage rates, £1725; and unclassified receipts, £1495. From the 1st July to the 24th August there has been an increase of £40,790. From the 1st to the 24th instant there has been a decrease of £15,157.

CODIFYING THE LAND ACTS.—Mr. Carruthers is taking up the work of codifying and consolidating the Land Acts of the colony, and the preliminary work has now been put in hand. Mr. Currie, the chief inspector at the Lands Office, who was of great assistance to the Minister in the preparation of the Land Act of 1895, is now at work with the rough draft of the consolidation, and the Minister is in hopes that before the present session closes he will be able to lay on the table of the House the Land Acts of the colony in a consolidated form.

UNAUTHORISED LAND TENURE.—Some time ago the Minister for Lands appointed an inspector to travel about various parts of the colony to ascertain where lands were being used for pastoral purposes without the occupants paying any rent to the Crown. The Minister was informed that there was a large tract of this country in the Northern districts—abandoned occupation licenses—which pastoralists were using without any form of tenure whatever. The consequence has been that the inspector has already prosecuted a number of persons in the Glen Innes and Armidale districts, and fines have been inflicted ranging from £1 to £5. But the most valuable portion of this officer's services has been rendered through the increase in the revenue. Most of the trespassers are now legalising their holdings, and already the annual rents of one district have been increased by over £300 in this way. Applications are coming in daily for legal forms of tenure. It is the intention of the department now to put up the occupation licenses for auction, and it is expected that the revenue of the colony from its Crown lands will be augmented by some thousands of pounds a year. The employment of the officer has therefore, Mr. Carruthers says, been highly reproductive to the department. It is intended to pursue the same course throughout the whole colony, wherever this practice of trespassing has been prevalent. It is unfair, the Minister points out, to those who do pay their rents, that they should have to compete with others who pay no rents at all. In some cases the land which has been jumped in this way has been let out again to selectors and rents charged to them for it, not by the Crown but by the trespassers.

HOMESTEAD SELECTIONS IN THE RIVERINA.—It has been asserted that there is some dissatisfaction in the Riverina district in regard to the smallness of the areas of homestead selections, it being alleged that a lease of under 1000 acres in rabbit-infested country is useless. In regard to this matter, it is explained by the Minister for Lands that the areas proclaimed include a large proportion of suburban lands, adjoining the principal country towns, and the areas have necessarily been small. In other instances, where agricultural land has been subdivided, the Minister states that he has acted on the advice of the most experienced local officers, and the areas provided are sufficient for any farmer who will properly work the ground for agricultural purposes. Mr. Carruthers says that of course there is a great anxiety to acquire large blocks, often beyond the capacity of one family to work properly and effectively. Farms of 1000 acres in the Riverina would be all very well if we had the land, but having so little left the Minister says he intends to make it go as far as possible amongst the many applicants for it. Small holdings and denser settlement will be more effective against rabbits than large farms.

CAPITAL VALUES OF HOMESTEAD AREAS.—During last week Mr. Carruthers had an interview with a number of the district surveyors in regard to the prices which were being fixed as the capital values on the homestead settlement areas. The Minister pointed out to them his extreme anxiety that in no case should a high price be fixed, and that in every case the benefit of any reasonable doubt on the question of value was to be given to the intending settler, and that the aim of the Land Act of 1895 was to promote settlement rather than to promote revenue derived either from the sale or the rent of the lands, as revenue would follow settlement. The Minister gave strict instructions that they were to avoid fancy values, fictitious values, or even what is commonly termed market values; and that they were to take as the basis of value what the land could produce by a man spending his labour upon it. In no case was the rent to be calculated at such a rate as would take away from the settler what would make him unable to provide for his own wants. The Minister also recommended them to bring forward, not only the first-class land, but also some of the inferior land into classification at low prices. Some of the surveyors had informed Mr. Carruthers that they are now having surveyed large tracts of country which will be put upon the market as homestead settlement areas at capital values as low as 5s and 6s 8d per acre—land which has hitherto not been taken up because the minimum price of £1 an acre under the old Land Act was prohibitive.

COAL MINES COMMISSION.—The Royal Commission appointed to inquire into the causes of the disagreement which arose over the attempts to pass the Coal Mines Regulation Bill met yesterday afternoon at the Colonial Secretary's Office. Mr. F. E. Rogers, Q.C., presided; and Messrs. Jesse Gregson and Curley were also present. The examination of Mr. Fegan, M.L.A., occupied the whole of the afternoon till half-past 5.

THE GOVERNOR OF NEW CALEDONIA.—The Governor of New Caledonia was to leave Noumea on the 22nd instant on a trip round the islands, and the cruiser Loyalty was to convey the Governor along the coast.

THE FLAGSHIP.—The Commander-in-Chief is now on his way down the Queensland coast in the Orlando, and will arrive in Sydney on the 7th proximo. Since her departure many letters have arrived giving accounts of the travels of the belted cruiser, the visit to the New Hebrides, and to New Guinea.

INVESTIGATING A NATIVE OUTRAGE IN THE SOLOMON GROUP.—Particulars are to hand via Cooktown from H.M.S. Royalist of steps taken by Captain Cuddy to avenge the murders of the captain and mate of a trading vessel at Rubiana. A year ago at the same place the Royalist shelled the villages along the coast of Rubiana, and in Captain Davis's time detachments were landed and villages burnt for miles into the interior. Captain Cuddy has adopted the plan of biding his time to catch the real culprits, and by paying an unexpected visit hopes to secure a chief or two, it being pretty certain that the murders were committed at the instigation of one or more chiefs for the sake of plunder.

THE SYDNEY CRICKET GROUND.—The difficulty which had arisen between the trustees of the Sydney Cricket Ground and the New South Wales Cricket Association with regard to the powers of the two bodies in connection with the cricket ground was amicably, and it is hoped finally, settled at a meeting of the association held last night at the Oxford Hotel. It will be remembered that the trustees, with the double object of raising revenue and of putting before the ground members and the general public a varied sports programme for the year, took certain dates for sports other than cricket during the cricket season. The association objected, the trustees said they must have revenue, and the result was a deputation from the association to the Minister for Lands, who, while fully recognising the value of the work done by the trustees, considered that the cricketing dates should not be unduly encroached upon for other sports. The association, looking upon Mr. Carruthers' reply as a moral victory, took a generous and reasonable view of the situation, and last night passed a unanimous resolution handing over the disputed dates to the trustees, on the understanding that for the future the two bodies should meet every year in June and allot the dates for the season.

THE MAILS.—The mails dated Sydney, 22nd July, per R.M.S. Ophir, reached London on Sunday, the 25th instant. The English mails, dated London, 26th July, per R M.S. Australia, due at Sydney on the 2nd of September, will not arrive until about the 4th September next.

THE INCOMING MAIL STEAMER AUSTRALIA.—Some inquiry is being made about the Australia, the P. and O. liner which left London on 19th July, and has the English mail on board to 26th July. She appears to have left Colombo three days behind contract date, and her arrival at King George's Sound is not expected until Thursday. This will mean that we shall have no mail delivery this week. What has caused the detention of the mail steamer at Colombo is not stated.

WHALING IN THE SOUTH SEAS.—Whaling off the coast of New Caledonia would not seem to be so bad an undertaking as some had supposed. By the Tanais yesterday it was reported that the coasting steamer, Ocean Queen, on her way from Ouaco, ran into a school of sperm whales, and some good sport was afforded the passengers taking pot shots at the monsters. One of them was 60ft. in length. The only weapons were a couple of little brass signal guns, and the loading and firing of these primitive weapons, charged with grape, bits of bolts, and old rusted chains, was more interesting to the passengers than damaging to the whales, the latter spouting and going ahead in the most unconcerned manner, though said to have been hit hard in their vital parts.

RESCUE OF A SHIPWRECKED CREW.—The Tanais yesterday brought an interesting account of an experience at sea by the French cruiser Duchaffault, which was here some time ago. It appears that the Duchaffault was homeward bound from New Caledonia via Magellan Strait. On 2nd July she fell in with a shipwrecked crew, comprising the master and 11 men, belonging to an American barque said to be the Birck. (A vessel of this name does not appear in any of the registers.) The barque is stated to have loaded guano and went on a reef off Terra del Fuego. She was bound to Europe, and was a long time out. The men picked up were in an emaciated condition. Four of the number were quite unconscious, and the captain had to resort to strong measures to quiet some of the others, the men being almost raving mad from thirst. When the Duchaffault hove in sight the shipwrecked men were 2500 miles from land, and their escape was, under the circumstances, remarkable. The captain of the Duchaffault placed the poor fellows at once in charge of the doctor, and by careful attention they were landed in a convalescent state at Callao, whither the cruiser steered to land them.

A STEAMER PUT BACK.—A report from Noumea says that the steamer Macgregor, which left there for Sydney on 17th August, put back on the 21st, having got 350 miles on the voyage, and that the captain said that the coal he had on board was not suitable for the voyage. The Macgregor is coming to Sydney for an overhaul.

LOSS OF THE CATTERTHUN—MARINE BOARD INQUIRY.—A meeting of the Marine Board was held at the offices, Circular Quay, yesterday afternoon. There were present—Captains Broomfield, Moodie, Jenkins, M'Lean, and O'Sullivan, and Mr. Wildridge. On the application of the attorney for Mr. W. T. Lanfear, second mate, the inquiry into the cause of the wreck of the Catterthun was postponed until 10 o'clock on Thursday morning. Captain Hall points out that the rock struck by the Catterthun was recognised to be the fatal spot on account of it showing plainly that the marine growth had been scraped clean away, leaving that side of the rock quite white. After the wreck was found the head of the steamer, as far as diver Briggs could see, was pointing N.W. This shows to some extent that at the time she sank she had a starboard helm on, and was running for shallow water. As showing the extra air-pumping power needed to supply the diver at 25 fathoms, the pump had to be double-manned. In other words, four men in place of two had as much as they could do to force the air down. In connection with the search for the wreck no survey of Edith Breaker was made, the indications being found at the outer rock. At the wreck of the steamer Duckenfield, which was referred to in yesterday's *Herald*, divers went to 23 fathoms and recovered 10 tons of copper in ingots in a day. Captain Hall inclines to the opinion that 25 fathoms is the limit under existing diving gear. The surface of the rock on which the steamer struck was not more than 18ft. by 13ft., with deep water all round it. From the fact that the steamer was drawing over 20ft. of water it is certain that this 8ft. danger was struck not by her stem, but abaft, and the plates were torn along her side to a ghastly degree.

NEW HEBRIDES NEWS.—MURDER OF A GERMAN TRADER.—A weekly paper has been started in the New Hebrides. It is named the *Courier*, and is being published at Vila Harbour. The paper mentions the festival of the anniversary of the French Republic, an enthusiastic affair held in Vila. The captain of the Ocean Queen, a small steamer running between Vila and Noumea, has brought news of the murder of a German settler named Fiffer, who had been established two or three years in the New Hebrides group. He was assassinated by two natives of Aoba. The poor fellow's head was picked up on the beach and the body was missing, but a search made in the neighbourhood disclosed the remains of the settler in the shape of bones, and it was evident that these had been picked pretty clean after the body had been cooked. Lately Mr. Fiffer had been menaced by the Aoba savages, and he had many times been cautioned by older hands than himself, but he expressed such confidence in the natives, who had "always treated him so well," as he remarked, "that he had no fear." It seems to have been another simple case of killing for the sake of human food. He was a man of 40 years of age.

GOVERNMENT INSPECTION OF FROZEN MEAT.—With reference to a cable that appeared in the *Herald* of yesterday, it has been ascertained that the concern of a certain section in England for the purity of the meat exported from this colony is quite without cause. All meat frozen for export is examined by Government inspectors at the time of slaughtering, and is not permitted to leave the yards till it is certified to be free of disease. In our cable of yesterday it will be seen that Mr. J. A. Rentoul, member for East Down, asked the President of the Board of Agriculture whether he had been informed that no proper inspection of cattle killed in Australia for export was made. As a matter of fact, a very careful inspection is made, exactly the same as that of meat for home consumption.

THE WEATHER.—A few places in the country, chiefly in the south, have had light rain, and yesterday it was raining and blowing hard out at Jerilderie, Moulamein, Corowa, and over that country. A depression off Tasmania working east is producing violent storms in Bass' Strait and between Tasmania and New Zealand. Another disturbance has come in at Albany, bringing rain, and may affect this colony in a few days.

WILLS OF THE WEEK.—The amount of probate duty paid on wills for the week ending 24th August was £4708 10s.

JURY SITTINGS.—Owing to the case in the day's list in No. 3 Court being settled, only two courts sat in the King-street building yesterday, but the matters were not of special interest. In No. 1, where the Chief Justice presided, the action Beyer v. Stroh, was commenced, and is not yet concluded. The dispute is one in regard to a contract for the erection of a hotel at Redfern. In No 2 Jury Court, where Mr. Justice Windeyer sat, the principal action was that brought by Bertha Amelia Menser against M. R. Evans and H. M. Evans, to recover compensation for alleged slander. The plaintiff's case was that some time ago she called upon various persons in the city and suburbs to solicit subscriptions in aid of a Jewish family who were in great distress, the task being undertaken voluntarily and without fee or reward. Subsequently an article appeared in one of the defendants' newspapers which she contended was aimed at her, and in effect charged her with dishonesty and obtaining money by false pretences. She claims £1000 damages. The hearing of the case will be resumed this morning.

A CONVICTION SET ASIDE.—In Chambers yesterday, before Mr. Acting Justice Cohen, an application was made for a prohibition in the case of four Chinamen, who were sentenced at Narrandera to one month's imprisonment each upon

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conviction for keeping a house for the purpose of carrying on an unlawful lottery, known as "Pak-a-pu." One ground of the application was that the evidence did not show that the appellants were the keepers of the house for the purpose stated in the information, and his Honor being of the same opinion, a rule absolute was granted for a prohibition, with costs.

THE REDFERN RAILWAY ACCIDENT—A CLAIM FOR DAMAGES.—At the Darlinghurst Court yesterday, before his Honor Mr. Justice Simpson, the hearing of the claims for damages arising out of the Redfern railway disaster was continued. The first case taken was that of a'Beckett v. the Railway Commissioners, in which the plaintiff claimed £6000 damages for injuries sustained, loss of business, and medical expense consequent upon the accident. Negligence was not denied by the defendants, and the only question for the jury to determine was the amount of damages. Evidence was called to show that Mr. a'Beckett had suffered great pain at the time of the accident, and that for some days his life was in danger, that although he had recovered he would never be the same man that he formerly was, and that his life had been shortened. His business had also suffered owing to him not being able to pay attention to it while he was laid up. The jury after a short retirement found for the plaintiff in £900.

WARSHIP NEWS.—On the Katoomba replacing the Goldfinch at Noumea, the crew of the Goldfinch gave a party to the English residents. The British Consul was present, and many of the leading people in Noumea. On the return of the Goldfinch from the New Hebrides, the ship reported that the whole crew had been more or less ill from eating fish of a poisonous character. The new French warship Aube has arrived at Tahiti from Madagascar, and was coming on to Noumea, but had not arrived when the Tamise left. This vessel has brought out to Tahiti troops to quell the rebellion at Rushine, Raiatea, and some of the other islands in the Society group. The French cruiser Duchaffault was at Callao on 22nd July, and left with the Beautemps Beaupere for Cherbourg and Brest. The Katoomba on her run from Sydney made a steam trial, and averaged 14·2 knots for 24 hours. In the course of her cruise she would call at Vila, Torres Island, Banks Group, Pentecost, and Aurora on the 30th instant.

ACCIDENT TO H.M.S. RINGDOVE.—Word has reached Sydney that the Ringdove, while in the Solomon Islands, sustained a good deal of damage to her hull in the Mowra Lagoon, and that the divers went down and put on the missing pieces of copper, the Royalist standing by.

MUNICIPAL VACANCY AT DRUMMOYNE.—The election of an alderman to fill the vacancy in the Drummoyne Ward of the borough of Drummoyne caused by the resignation of Alderman M'Namara resulted in the election of Mr E. Bennett, who obtained 72 votes against J. M'Namara, 45 votes. The Mayor of Drummoyne (Alderman Sewell) presided over the proceedings.

TENDERS ACCEPTED.—The following tenders have been accepted by the Department of Public Works:—Wm. Gilliver and C. H. Curtis (Rookwood), construction of the Brickfield Creek storm-water channel extension, Parramatta, at 20.76 per cent. below printed schedule rates; Gervis Parr (Walgett), repairs, &c., to public buildings at Walgett, £2284; Wm. Butler (Armidale), laying, &c., of main pipe line (contract No. 5, Armidale Water Supply), at 5¼ per cent. below printed schedule rates; James Ward (Sydney), manufacture, &c., of steam cooking plant for H.M. Gaol, Young, £117 12s; Mullan and Jones (Mullumbimby), erection of bridge, Black Creek-road, Tenterfield to Tabulam, £577 15s 2d; Denis Treacy and Co. (Petersham), construction of the Iron Cove Creek storm-water channel between Norton-street and Arthur-street, contract No. 111, at 23½ per cent. below printed schedule rates.

A RUNAWAY AT NEWTOWN.—Last evening, about 8 o'clock, Mr. A. W. Lake, travelling jeweller, residing with his wife and family at Unwin's Bridge-road, St. Peters, was proceeding homewards in a sulky. When in King-street, Newtown, near St. George's Hall, the horse took fright and commenced plunging, with the result that it dashed into the St. Peters horse tram. The vehicle was smashed to pieces, and the horse bolted, and had reached the Cook's River bridge before he was stopped. Mr. Lake was thrown out on his head, and received a severe scalp wound. Dr. Jefferis was summoned, and recommended the man's removal to the Prince Alfred Hospital, where he was admitted by Dr. Studdy in an unconscious condition.

DEATH UNDER CHLOROFORM.—The City Coroner (Mr. J. C. Woore) held an inquest yesterday at the South Sydney Morgue on the body of a woman named Daisy Towns, and also known as Lizzie Green. The deceased was a domestic servant at Alexandria, and was 22 years of age. A few days ago she became ill and was treated for hysteria; but it was subsequently found that a surgical operation was necessary. The verdict of the jury was that death had resulted from blood-poisoning, accelerated by chloroform, and that the chloroform was properly administered.

A BOY DROWNED.—Mr. J. E. Bowden, the Parramatta District Coroner, held an inquery on Saturday touching the death of a boy named Norman Frederick Nilson, aged 6 years, who was drowned in the Parramatta River, at Woolwich, on Friday last. Charles Thomas Barker deposed to searching for the body and finding the same jammed in between the rocks in about 18in. of water. He was of opinion that the deceased slipped in between the rocks and could not get out. Deceased's hat was found floating in the water near by. Artificial respiration was resorted to, but without success. The jury returned a verdict to the effect that deceased was accidentally drowned.

ATTEMPTED BURGLARY.—Some time early yesterday morning an attempt was made to enter the premises of Mr. J. T. Marshall, dentist, Carrington-street. The venetian shutters were opened, and while the burglars were prising the window up with a jemmy, a pane of glass broke. The noise no doubt disturbed them. The woodwork of the window gave evidence of the force with which the jemmy was being used.

His Honor Sir Frederick Darley, Chief Justice, has appointed the Hon. L. F. Heydon, M.L.C., solicitor, of Camden-buildings, 416 George-street, a commissioner for taking affidavits for the Supreme Court of this colony.

MR. ALFRED J. NORTH, F.L.S., of the Australian Museum, reprints some notes of his on a new genus and five new species of Central Australian birds.

MR. JOHN A. ADEY has published at Port Adelaide a pamphlet on federation, called "Seven Articles on the Federal Question." Mr. Adey is sound on the great business, but his reasons and metaphors cause perplexity. It disconcerts the friends of federation to be called upon to rise as one man, and blend together their mighty spiritual forces, with the ultimate object that "the roar of the British lion shall be feared in the Southern seas."

MESSRS. GEORGE ROBERTSON AND CO. have just published in one brochure two series of articles written by Mr. E. W. Foxall, of Sydney, called "The Claims of Capital" and "Financial Crises." Mr. Foxall is known as one of the single-tax school, and in the volume now issued he considers the matters under discussion from that standpoint. The papers are written with earnestness and ability.

A LECTURE will be given at the Y.M.C.A. rooms this evening, by the Rev. John Fordyce, being the second of a special course of lectures he is delivering to young men on topics of "Modern Unbelief." The subject this evening will be "The Unanswerable Argument for Christianity."

THE Sydney Rescue Work Society reports that during the week ended 24th August it provided shelter and food for women and children as follows:—Home of Hope, Stanley-street, Newtown: Beds to women 449, to children 297; meals to women, 1527. Open All-night Refuge, 403 Sussex-street: Beds to women 288, to children 113; meals to women, 617.

THE following is the report of the Sydney Hospital for the week ended 24th August:—Admitted, 71; discharged, 78; died, 6; remaining, 270; casualties treated but not admitted, 572; outdoor patients treated, 1785.

## *TO-DAY.*

Women's Christian Temperance Union: Lecture Entertainment, 8 p.m., Centenary Hall.
Presbyterian Musical Society: Concert, at S. Presbyterian Church, Newtown.
Christ Church, St. Laurence: Meeting to welcome the Rev. Gerard Trower, M.A., the School, Pitt-street, at 8.
Unitarian Literary Society: At S. Musical and Literary Entertainment.
Petersham Women's Prayer Union: Special Meetings, Congregational School-hall, Railway-street, 3.
Church of England Temperance Society: Annual Meeting, 7.30.
Provincial Land and Reform League: Annual General Meeting, School of Arts, at 8.
Robertson Monument: Committee Meeting, 7.30, 137 King-street.
Farewell Lecture by Mr. Michael Davitt: Guild Hall, Castlereagh-street, 8 p.m.
Summer Institute Cricket Club Concert: Petersham Town Hall.
Rosebery Park Racing Club: Pony and Galloway Meeting.
Empire Theatre, York-street: Messrs. York and Jones's Variety Company, 8 p.m.
Tivoli Theatre: Variety Entertainment, 8 p.m.
Her Majesty's Theatre: "Joseph of Canaan," 7.45 p.m.
Lyceum Theatre: "Gentleman Joe," 8 p.m.
Palace Theatre: "The Guv'nor," 8 p.m.

# SPECIAL CABLES.

FROM THE *HERALD'S* LONDON CORRESPONDENTS.

## THE FRENCH IN MADAGASCAR.

UNFAVOURABLE REPORTS.

TROUBLE WITH AN AMERICAN WARSHIP.

IGNORING THE FRENCH FLAG.

LONDON, AUG. 26.

Mr. Woodford, an American traveller, who has just returned from a visit to Antananarivo, the capital of Madagascar, confirms the recent reports of the hardships being suffered by the French expeditionary force which, under General Duchesne, is marching upon Antananarivo, and which, on the 12th instant, occupied the heights near Andriba.

Mr. Woodford declares that the French troops are in a deplorable condition, and have no chance of reaching the capital this season.

He adds that the Hovas are preparing to make a desperate defence if the French approach the capital, and are even ready to abandon the city and to turn it into a pestilential spot through the slaughter and decomposition of thousands of cattle.

The failure of the American man-of-war Castine to salute the French flag at Tamatave irritated the French military officers at that place, and they exhibited such discourtesy as to almost cause a quarrel between them and the officers of the warship. They afterwards apologised, and peace was restored.

## THE NEW FRENCH IRONCLAD.

ANOTHER LAUNCHING FAILURE.

LONDON, AUG. 26.

A second attempt has been made to launch the new ironclad, the Pothuan, built for the French navy, which was to have been launched at Havre on Thursday, and which then stuck fast on the ways. On this occasion also the attempt was unsuccessful and had again to be abandoned.

## THE MASSACRES IN CHINA.

INQUIRY AT KU-CHENG.

FOREIGN CONSULS TO ASSIST.

LONDON, AUG. 26.

The Chinese Government recently refused to allow the British and United States vice-Consuls to take part in the inquiry ordered to be made at Ku-Cheng, concerning the recent massacre of Christian missionaries there. Now, however, it is announced that the Vice-Consuls will be permitted to assist at the investigation.

Six Chinese have already been convicted of murder at Ku-Cheng, and fresh arrests are daily being made.

## ENGLAND'S COLONIAL POLICY.

A NEW ERA.

LONDON, AUG. 26.

The *Times* declares that the new policy of Mr. Joseph Chamberlain, Secretary of State for the Colonies, in regard to the construction of railways in the African Crown colonies, marks a new era in colonial history, and will prove of vital interest to British trade.

## GREAT FIRE IN LONDON.

COLLAPSE OF A WALL.

LONDON, AUG. 26.

During the progress of the great fire in Ferguson's seed and grain warehouse at Hanbury Wharf, Blackfriars, the wall of the warehouse fell and destroyed the shed of Nelson and Co., which adjoined it.

## THE ANARCHIST OUTRAGE.

ATTEMPT ON BARON ROTHSCHILD'S LIFE.

LONDON, AUG. 26.

M. Jacobsky, secretary to Baron Alphonse Rothschild, the well-known banker of Paris, opened the explosive letter intended for the Baron because he thought that the packet contained race tickets. Otherwise he would have forwarded the packet to Baron Rothschild.

## THE LIVE CATTLE TRADE.

COMMENTS BY THE *TIMES.*

AN EMBARGO ON STORE CATTLE.

LONDON, AUG. 26.

In an article dealing with the live cattle trade between Australia and England, the *Times* refers to the possibility of cattle diseases being introduced into England, and advocates as a safeguard against such a danger that a permanent embargo should be placed upon store cattle imported into England.

## INTERNATIONAL CHESS TOURNAMENT.

LONDON, AUG. 26.

At the International Chess Congress at Hastings, the scores now stand as follows:—Mr. Lasker (British), 12 points; Mr. Tschigorin (Russia), 12 points; Mr. Pillsbury (United States), 11½ points.

## SUGAR BEET.

LONDON, AUG. 26.

Herr Licht, the Magdeburg expert on the production of sugar beet, estimates that the present campaign will give a surplus of 956,000 tons, the increased production for the past 11 months being 889,000 tons.

## NEW MINING COMPANY.

LONDON, AUG. 26.

The shares issued by the Menzies and Crusoe Gold-mining Company, Western Australia, to the extent of £85,000, have been allotted.

B. L. CORTO-ROTHSCHILD.—The finest 6d Cigar ever imported. All tobacconists.—[ADVT.]

# VICTORIA.

[BY TELEGRAPH.]
(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

## THE FEDERAL ENABLING BILL.

MELBOURNE, Monday.

A deputation from the Australian Federation League waited on the Premier to-day and asked him to introduce the Federal Enabling Bill. The deputation said that Mr. Reid had informed Mr. Kingston that he had no objection to the South Australian Government proceeding with the bill, although it was understood at the conference that New South Wales was to be the first colony to deal with it. The deputation said that as the New South Wales Government was occupied at present with other important matters Victoria should without further delay pass the Federal Enabling Bill, as it would help forward the federation movement. Mr. Turner replied that it was considered at the conference whether it would not be possible for all the colonies to deal with the bill simultaneously, but it was pointed out that if this were done the bill might be passed in various forms and the delegates to the federal convention elected in different ways, perhaps causing some difference in determining the manner in which votes should be reckoned when it came to vote. It was thought advisable by the Premiers' Conference that one colony should introduce the bill and pass it, and the others should adhere to that bill as nearly as possible. Mr. Turner added that he would communicate with Mr. Kingston and Sir E. Braddon, and ask them if they intended pushing on with the bill this session, or whether they would prefer Victoria to take the lead. If they advised that the latter course be taken he would communicate with Mr. Reid asking him if he had any objection, and if not he (Mr. Turner) would introduce the bill and ask Parliament to sit an extra period for its consideration.

## THE RAILWAY EARNINGS.

MELBOURNE, Monday.

The railway earnings for the week ended the 22nd instant were £37,943, as compared with £38,810 for the corresponding week last year. The aggregate earnings to date from the 1st July are £309,433, as compared with £330,853 for the corresponding period of last year.

## MARK TWAIN.

MELBOURNE, Monday.

A cablegram was received in Melbourne to-day from Mr. S. L. Clemens (Mark Twain) stating that, as the repairs to the Warrimoo had taken longer than was anticipated, he would be a week later than he contemplated in reaching Australia. Mr. Clemens left Vancouver on Saturday.

## THE HILARIA FIRE.

MELBOURNE, Monday.

At the Criminal Court to-day Mr. Justice Hood gave his decision on the application of Mr. Guarner, Crown Prosecutor, made last Friday for the postponement of the trial of Edward Benson and Mark Lindsay, who were employed on a vessel, on a charge of setting fire to the ship Hilaria. Mr. Justice Hood said he had read over the papers in the case, and found them in a very vague and confused condition. He would say nothing more lest he might prejudice the case, but he thought he should allow the postponement to the sittings next month. He would allow defendants reasonable bail.

## RICHMOND VALE COAL COMPANY.

MELBOURNE, Monday.

The action of John Richard Rigg personally and as trustee for the Richmond Vale Coal Company, New South Wales, against the Standard Bank and F. Kabat, J. H. Mein, and others, in which judgment was delivered some weeks ago by the Chief Justice, was again brought before his Honor this morning on a summons. The Chief Justice, in delivering judgment, had expressed his view of the proportions in which certain persons were entitled to shares in the Richmond Vale Coal Company property, but in the minute of his order he only defined the plaintiff's and Kabat's portions. The Chief Clerk in setting up the draft judgment said that as the Judge had only expressed an opinion in the minute of his order and had not made it definite, he had no power to define. The application to-day was intended to meet the Chief Clerk's objection. His Honor made an order that John Rigg was entitled to one twenty-fourth of the property, and Mrs. Mein to three twenty-fourths.

## THE OBSERVANCE OF SUNDAY.

MELBOURNE, Monday.

A conference took place in the Independent Hall, Russell-street, this afternoon, between the executive of the Tobacconist Association and about a dozen clergymen representing religious bodies, on the question of ensuring the better observance of the law against Sunday trading and gambling. A resolution was carried, "That a deputation wait on the Solicitor-General, and call attention to the present breaking of the law as regards Sunday-trading in the tobacconist trade, and ask him to take such action as he may deem fit for the purpose of securing the observance of the law."

The chairman, Mr. H. Levy, invited the conference to come to a resolution also on the gambling question. The Rev. Dr. Bevan said he thought no one could yet begin to see how gambling was to be put down. Under the present circumstances it was as feasible to try to put out the fires of a volcano. The whole feeling of the community was in sympathy with gambling, and until a public sentiment could be created in the matter it was of little use interviewing officials. After further discussion, Dr. Bevan said that to bring public opinion to bear was all right, but he did not know that he admired ever trying to make people good by the enforcement of the Sunday Closing Act. It was a large question at any rate. He urged that no resolution should be come to on the gambling branch of the subject for a few days. There were points connected with it under the consideration of the council of the churches. The suggestion was adopted, and the conference adjourned for a week.

## A NUGGET OF GOLD.

MELBOURNE, Monday.

A telegram from Rheola, in the Inglewood district, states that two miners, named Henry Evans and J. James, old residents of the district, discovered a large nugget yesterday at Lingham's Flat, a little over a mile from Rheola township. The nugget weighs about 11lb. troy, and will probably yield 130oz. smelted gold, worth about £530.

## A GRAVE CHARGE.

MELBOURNE, Monday.

The Oakleigh police took action in a scandal of the most painful nature, and arrested to-day an elderly man named James Frank Gannaway on a grave charge. Gannaway is 60 years of age. He was born in England, and was educated for the Church. He filled the pulpits of several Congregational churches in the old country, and arrived in Victoria in 1881, bringing with him his wife and family of 16 children. He was appointed to the Congregational Church at Geelong and remained there for three years. He then had charge of the Congregational Church at Oakleigh until circumstances arose which caused the congregation to call on him to retire. His family separated. Gannaway, accompanied by one of his daughters, went to a quiet locality on Dandenong Creek and kept a poultry farm there. An admission made by Gannaway recently caused the police to visit his place to-day and to arrest him. The police found six children living there, their ages ranging from 14 years to a baby, which Miss Gannaway gave birth to last week.

MELBOURNE, Monday.

The kennel of Messrs. Kelly and M'Gillicuddy was brought under the hammer to-day, and satisfactory prices were realised. For the champion, Blackbird, a bid of 201 guineas was received, but this was under the reserve, and accordingly the lot was passed in. Mr. J. C. Jerome got Lindsay Gordon for 95 guineas, Goldsmith for 55 guineas, and The Joker for 45 guineas. The Shaughraun was knocked down to Mr. James for 39 guineas, Mr. F. Kenyon paid 32 guineas for The Brook, and the other animals realised prices ranging from 20 guineas to 3 guineas.

CREELMAN AND CO., Photographers, Sydney Arcade, aim at excellence in work. Their charge for Cabinet Photographs is 10s per dozen.—[ADVT.]

# QUEENSLAND.

[BY TELEGRAPH.]
(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

## RAILWAY EXTENSION.

BRISBANE, Monday.

A large deputation waited on the Minister for Works this morning in connection with the extension of the railway from Mayne or the Racecourse to Deepwater. Mr. Philp, in reply, said that the Government was not prepared at present to extend the line from Mayne, but it was quite possible that it would undertake its extension from the Racecourse to Deepwater. It would strengthen his hands very much if the large landowners would consent to grant the Government easements on the land to be resumed. The days had gone past when the Government paid large sums for resumption. They were not prepared to do so in this case. He quite recognised the importance of a railway to Deepwater, and looked forward to the colony becoming an important exporting one. If the deputation could secure from the landholders promises in this direction the Government would be in a position to move in the matter.

BRISBANE, Monday.

Mr. William Stephens, who has represented the Woolloongabba constituency in the Assembly for the last seven years, intends standing for South Brisbane at the next election. Mr. Duncan Sinclair will stand for Woolloongabba in the Government interests.

A Townsville telegram states that two men have deserted from H.M.S. Wallaroo, leaving the vessel on an improvised raft.

THURSDAY ISLAND, Monday.

The Merkara sailed for London early this morning, taking about 700 cases of pearlshell.

The steamer Bezawada anchored off Goode Island late on Saturday afternoon, having her shaft broken or injured. The accident occurred on Thursday, 60 miles from port. Temporary repairs were effected, and these allowed the vessel to steam about four knots. On Saturday the captain advised the agent that he must get towed to dock, but early this morning the vessel proceeded on her voyage, having apparently effected temporary repairs. She steamed slowly down the coast, under Pilot Legget, under the yellow flag, it not being 21 days since she left a port.

The Primate, the Bishop of Newcastle, and the Bishop of North Queensland will sail for the south to-morrow.

A girl named Ryan, aged 11, was burned to death at Toowoomba on Saturday through her clothes catching fire while she was burning rubbish.

# TASMANIA.

[BY TELEGRAPH.]
(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

## HEAVY RAINS AND FLOODS.

HOBART, Monday.

Continuously heavy rain, causing floods throughout the island, and fierce north-west gales doing much damage on the coast, have occurred. The breakwater at Wynyard was damaged, two large gaps, each 50ft., having been made. The trainline was washed away, and the concrete pier damaged. The gale was severely felt at Burnie, Devonport, and intermediate places. At Launceston the lower portions of the town have been slightly flooded. At New Norfolk the hop grounds and low-lying lands are under water.

HOBART, Monday.

The Rev. H. R. Haweis arrived at Hobart per Wakatipu this evening and purposes lecturing here.

The Wakatipu will take to Melbourne a quantity of tobacco-manufacturing machinery which the imposition of an excise duty renders useless in Tasmania.

## *WESTERN AUSTRALIAN GOLD-FIELDS.*

[BY TELEGRAPH.]
(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

KALGOORLIE, Monday.

An accident has happened to Mr. Z. Lane, manager of the Great Boulder mine, which will confine him to his room for some days. He was superintending the unpacking of a big oil engine, when he stepped down from the top of the case on to nails in a board, which penetrated his boot and drove an inch into his foot.

Mr. Julian M. Price, *Illustrated London News* artist and correspondent, was entertained at dinner on Saturday evening by the leading residents. Warden Jephson was in the chair. Mr. Price eulogised the colony and the goldfields, and said he would be lacking in truth if his reports were not glowing. Mr. Price will stay till the end of the week at Warden Camp, and will then visit Margaret, Lake Darlot, Niagara, and Menzies, going to Murchison via Perth. He expects to reach Adelaide in October. He is going on to Melbourne for the Cup. He will go over all the colonies and on to Samoa to finish a book on Australasia, returning to London by way of Vancouver.

The hospital committee intends asking the Government to take steps to enforce sanitation in miners' camps on mines around the town.

CUE, Monday.

Water has been met with in great quantities in the Cue No. 1 Proprietary mine. Bailing by steam is quite inadequate to keep it down. A steam pump with a capacity of 3000 gallons per hour has been wired for.

The Fortune of War is crushing 100 tons. The plates are looking well. The crushing will probably average 2oz. per ton. The Victory United is waiting for the arrival of pumping and winding machinery to resume sinking in the main shaft. Promising country has been taken up beyond Golden Chariot. Although the shafts are only down 5ft. or 6ft. prospects are considered excellent. The reef is 20in. wide and shows gold freely. One of the best judges on the field estimates that the stone will yield 3oz. to 4oz. per ton. The new show is named St. Albans. The West Australian mine is looking splendid. Gold is showing in no less than five faces, some being extraordinarily rich. Concerning the crushing of the Mount Magnet stone at the Morning Star battery it is reported that 240oz. has been obtained from 81 tons. No authentic information is to hand of the big crushing of over 300 tons going through for the Cue gold mines. Excellent progress is being made with Fulton's battery. Mr. King, from Adelaide, who is acting for the British Western Australian Gold Crushing Syndicate, arrived by coach on Thursday and will remain for a week. The Victoria mine at Cue has given 37oz. gold from four tons; the Perseverance, Day Dawn, over 80oz. from 12 tons. Excellent reports have been received concerning Eight Mile, near Mount Magnet. Wray's lease is looking good enough for 3oz. right through. A number of new leases have been taken up. The deposit money has been wired out for the purchase of the Richmond mine, Day Dawn, and the Princess Ada, Cue. At the Island on Chicago stone very rich in quality continues to be raised. Development work is being pushed ahead. A very rich patch was struck at a depth of 48ft. The reef averages fully 3½ft. wide, and gives promise of improving.

ROEBOURNE, Monday.

A trial crushing of two tons of stone from Campbell, Moore, and Cord's lease, Western Show, which has taken place at Marble Bar, has yielded 21oz. 6dwt. News of an important gold discovery six miles distant from Western Show, on Murcott's World's Fair lease, has been received. The reef has been opened out on, and several hundred ounces of gold obtained in one patch. Mr. E. O. Davis, representative of a Melbourne prospecting syndicate, has just visited the field on his return from Marble Bar. He says the reef gives a magnificent sight; gold in large quantities has been found in the lease. Land has been taken up all along the line of reef, which is pegged on for 2½ miles. The crushing machinery at Talga Lalga is working smoothly. A parcel of seven tons from the Reward claim was crushed for 28oz.; 20 tons from the Star of the North mine yielded 2oz. to the ton; the result of a crushing of 5cwt. from Calder's mine, five miles from Roebourne, treated by A. Parker and Co., of Footscray, Victoria, was 4oz. 15dwt. 16gr. per ton.

PERTH, Monday.

The Central mine's crushing of 390 tons has yielded 212oz. of gold.

Referring to a recent report from Coolgardie to the effect that Mr. A. H. Barclay had taken up a lease for the Ernest Western Australian Gold-prospecting Company, No Liability, we are requested to state that Mr. Barclay reorganised the expedition, under Mr. Oldfield's command, which started from Coolgardie some three weeks ago. The lease referred to has been taken up by Mr. Barclay for a Sydney syndicate, independent of the above company.

# SOUTH AUSTRALIA.

[BY TELEGRAPH.]
(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

## THE LIEUTENANT-GOVERNOR.

ADELAIDE, Monday.

The Lieutenant-Governor left Adelaide by express to-day to attend the Methodist Conference meetings in Sydney, Goulburn, and Melbourne. He will return to Adelaide on Saturday by special train.

## TRAGEDY AT BALACLAVA.

ADELAIDE, Monday.

At Balaclava George Lynch is under arrest on a charge of having shot Donald Macpherson Ross at Ford, near Dunn's Bridge, on Saturday afternoon. Some children testified to having seen Lynch fire a revolver twice at Ross, who, when picked up, was found to be dead. Lynch stated that the shooting was accidental, but evidence at the inquest shows that he was on bad terms with the deceased. Lynch is about 40 years of age, and Ross was 20 years. Ross's parents are believed to live in Newcastle. The inquest will be resumed to-morrow.

## CIVIL SERVICE REDUCTIONS.

ADELAIDE, Monday.

The labour members of Parliament to-day decided not to support the proposals of the Government to reduce the exemption in the Civil Servants Salaries Act from £150 to £75 per annum. They propose instead to re-enact last year's Salaries Act, and add 2½ per cent. to each of the grades which started at £150. As these amendments, if adopted, will affect the Treasurer's estimate to the extent of some thousands of pounds, the party proposes an increase of a farthing in the land tax, and failing this to increase the death succession duties.

ADELAIDE, Monday.

The steamer Culgoa, of the Lund line, cleared from Port Adelaide on Saturday, having on board a valuable shipment of Australian produce, among which was no less than 32,550 bars of bullion.

# WESTERN AUSTRALIA.

[BY TELEGRAPH.]
(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

## RESIGNATION OF SIR WILLIAM ROBINSON.

PERTH, Monday.

The Administrator of the Government has received a cable message from Sir William Robinson, stating that he had resigned the position of Governor of Western Australia, and had written a letter to that effect on the 31st day of July last.

PERTH, Monday.

At the Albany Quarter Sessions on Friday the second hearing was continued of the case in which William Vale is charged with maliciously wounding Patrick Mannox with intent to cause him grievous bodily harm. A verdict of guilty on the lesser charge of unlawfully wounding, with a recommendation to mercy, was returned. The Chairman sentenced Vale to five months' hard labour, and took into account the fact that prisoner had already been in prison for a month.

COOLGARDIE, Monday.

Interest in the trial for alleged mining conspiracy, in which Robert Pettigrew and Henry Urquhart are charged with conspiring to defraud the West Australian Gold Exploration Company of properties known as the Brown Hill Consols, was further stimulated on Saturday when Captain Begelhole, manager of the West Australian Gold Exploration Company, was charged at the police court with using threatening language towards a witness in the case. Captain Begelhole pleaded guilty, and was ordered to find two sureties of £50 each for his keeping the peace for three months, and to pay the costs of the action.

A slight fall of rain occurred during Friday night and Saturday morning.

## *FIRE IN BLOCK ELEVEN.*

UNFAVOURABLE INDICATIONS.

[BY TELEGRAPH.]
(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

BROKEN HILL, Monday.

Affairs on Block 11 do not look nearly so promising now as they did a few days back, when the surroundings seemed to point to the fact that the fire had been completely smothered. The disturbance of the loose ground caused by blasting on the side of the quarry and continuous movements of the creep section further north have apparently opened fresh ingress for ventilation, so that now appearances go to show that the fire in the mullocked stopes directly under the first level was never completely subdued, that it still continues simmering, but to what extent is, of course, impossible to determine. On Friday the small jets of vapour issuing at various points were sluggish and with little body, but on Saturday the fierce gale from the west and south seemed to fan them into fresh vigour, and they rose in considerably increased volumes. During that night a subsidence of ground occurred, dislodging some rocks directly on to the old tunnel into which gas anhydride was being conveyed. The canvas conduit piping was completely cut through, and the connection thus destroyed. It was then determined that M'Gregor's new shaft should be the vehicle for conducting gas into the mine, and just after midday yesterday gas was again pouring down through this new channel. This subsidence also opened a big crevice on the north-west side, and from here and further up the sides of the quarry rapid-moving but intermittent volumes of acrid gases were rising continuously, but towards evening they considerably moderated their density. Wet bags, big boulders, and earth were thrown into the crevice, and water was again made a factor. This was kept continuously hosed on to the side, and soon the crevice was filled and a big vent stopped. The old sickening odour of burned wood was everywhere around the quarry most noticeable, but to-day it is not so bad. Early this morning there was a quantity of vapour rising, but to-night there is not nearly so much. The basin of the quarry itself remains intact, and Harry's navvies are busy to-day removing ironstone. Mr. Stewart this evening said that smoke most certainly was coming out, but owing to the change of inlet for gas it was now working under different conditions and was more likely to disturb any smoke lying about. To the question whether under the new aspect of affairs the time for opening up would be indefinitely postponed, he answered, "I cannot say at all. We must be entirely ruled by circumstances." On Block 10 smoke and gases from the adjoining property compelled the miners to come to the surface on Saturday. Yesterday the fumes were coming thick out of Campbell's shaft. To-day, however, Mr. Warren had the big tunnel leading to Kelly's shaft blocked with canvas, and as the wind veered round to the opposite quarter the mine is now quite clear and men are able to resume work. It may be mentioned that water is now being continuously used, several hoses playing on the north side of the quarry.

## *THE UNION BRIDGE AT ALBURY.*

(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

ALBURY, Monday.

The member for Albury (Mr. Ball), accompanied by the Mayor and other gentlemen, made an inspection of the Union bridge to-day. The bridge was over a year ago reported to be in a dangerous condition of decay, and representations on the subject were made to the Victorian and New South Wales Governments. The Government of this colony was willing to proceed with the erection of a new bridge, but could do nothing without the co-operation of Victoria, the work being of a joint character. The Victorian Works Department inspector reported that the bridge could be repaired at a cost of £300 or £400. The structure is said by experts, however, to be positively dangerous, and may collapse at any moment under a heavy load. On return to Sydney Mr. Ball will make further representations to the Government. He intends also to communicate with the Hon. I. A. Isaacs, Attorney-General of Victoria, and endeavour to secure his co-operation in the matter. Mr. Isaacs represents a district equally interested with the residents of Albury on the south side of the Murray.

# DISASTROUS FIRES.

[BY TELEGRAPH.]
(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENTS.)

## THE FIRE AT WOLLONGONG.

THE INSURANCES.

WOLLONGONG, Monday.

It appears that the damage caused by the fire yesterday, which entirely demolished a whole block of buildings, is quite as heavy as was anticipated. The fire smouldered all night, and water is still being thrown on the ruins by the brigade. The insurances are as follows:—Coachbuilding factory, owned and occupied by G. W. Commens, insured in the Royal Insurance Company and Colonial Mutual for £200 each, and stock in the Mercantile Mutual £300; estimated loss over insurance, £700. J. Chad, bootmaker, building £400, stock £250, and furniture £50, in Australian Mutual; estimated loss, £300 over insurance. Shop, occupied by A. Osborne, baker, belonging to the late W. Vogan's Estate, uninsured; stock also uninsured. In addition to losing all the furniture Mr. Osborne suffered the loss of £14 cash, jewellery of the value of £50, and documents worth £100. The building occupied by Brown and Co., produce merchants, and Bevan and Armstrong, auctioneers, also belonged to Vogan's Estate, and was uninsured. Brown and Co.'s stock was insured for £70. Bevan and Armstrong were uninsured, and are heavy losers, probably to the extent of £700 or £800. The shop occupied by Jesse Budge, wine merchant, owned by G. W. Commens, was insured in the Colonial Mutual for £100, and the Liverpool London, and Globe for £200; no insurance on stock or furniture, and Budge's loss is about £60. Shop occupied by H. Makin, hairdresser, owned by Mr. Commens, insured in the Colonial Mutual for £100, the Liverpool, London, and Globe for £200; stock uninsured; loss about £60. Tobson and Co., Chinese grocers, occupied premises owned by Commens, and were insured in the Australian Mutual for £300; stock insured in the National Mutual of New Zealand for £300. Shop occupied by G. H. Pritchard, confectioner, belonging to the late A. Graham's estate, insured in the New Zealand National for £300; stock valued at £30; uninsured. Shop occupied by L. L. Earl, fruiterer, belonging to Graham's estate, insured in the New Zealand National for £300; stock removed, damage to which is about £10. Shop, opened by T. Pembroke, confectioner, Saturday night, belonging to Graham's Estate, insured in the New Zealand National for £550; stock uninsured, but saved. The brick building at the end of the block, which arrested the progress of the flames, was occupied by G. J. Gray, produce merchant, and belonged to Graham's Estate. It was insured in the New Zealand National for £900, and the stock was insured in the Liverpool, London, and Globe for £200; but Mr Gray estimates the loss much above this sum. On the opposite side of the street O'Brien's Royal Alfred Hotel was the principal sufferer, portions of the building being burnt, the windows broken, and the whole of the front blackened. The building and stock were heavily insured. Luke Parsons, butcher, had part of his shop burnt. His premises and furniture were insured for £250. Many of the sufferers have been left homeless and penniless, and a public meeting has been convened by the Mayor for to-morrow night to consider the best means of alleviating the distress. The origin of the fire is shrouded in mystery. During the progress of the fire two men fell off a balcony, one having both his ankles sprained and the other sustaining a serious wound in the head, which had to be stitched. Another man fell down a well and was nearly drowned. When rescued he was quite unconscious; but while waiting for the doctor a member of the local Railway Ambulance Corps used the approved treatment for restoring apparently drowned with excellent results. The fire brigade all through worked splendidly, and great assistance was rendered by the police and the crowds of spectators. To-day the brick chimneys standing were considered to be a danger, and all were thrown down. Bush fires raged throughout the district on Sunday. Much fencing and pastures were destroyed.

## THE OUTBREAK AT WALGETT.

WALGETT, Monday.

The fire which occurred here on Sunday was first observed at 3 o'clock in Mr. Lewis's tailoring establishment, which adjoins Mr. Vaughan's residence and store. A gale of wind was blowing at the time. A large supply of water was available from a well. Two force pumps and 400ft. of hose were procured from the gaol, and a constant stream of water was played on to Mr. Vaughan's residence, besides 50 persons carrying water with all kinds of utensils. The furniture and stock of Mr. Vaughan's premises were seriously damaged by water, and in removal the furniture was almost totally destroyed. The end of the residence facing the scene of the fire was considerably burnt. One room was demolished. The escape of these premises is considered marvellous. Business is now closed. It is considered that the damage by fire is between £2000 and £3000. Mr. Lewis's tailoring establishment was ensured for £300; Baker's hairdressing saloon, £100; Bettman's jeweller's shop for £100; all in the Imperial Office. The bank premises were insured for £500 in the London and Lancashire Company. The furniture and stock of Mr. Vaughan were insured. One unoccupied shop and Clarke's agency office were fully insured in the United Company. The bank furniture and fittings were insured. The bank's safes were buckled by the intense heat, but when broken open this morning the bank-book and papers were found to be comparatively unharmed. The parchment documents were slightly damaged. The bank officials lost their personal effects. Premises have been secured in Fox-street, and banking operations will be resumed to-morrow. Had not the fire been arrested by the concentrated efforts at Vaughan's premises, the whole block would have been demolished.

## SERIOUS FIRE AT ABERDEEN.

THREE BUILDINGS DESTROYED.

ABERDEEN, Monday.

A disastrous fire occurred here last night, which totally destroyed a shed used for weekly produce sales, a wooden building occupied by Mr. J. F. Gunnion as a store, and a saddler's shop occupied by Mr. E. Searles. The fire started about 9 o'clock inside the store, and was not seen until it had a complete hold of the building. A very heavy wind was blowing, which prevented any attempt to save anything from the store or saddler's shop being successful. A few bags of chaff and sugar were saved out of the Farmers' Union shed. The buildings were owned by Mr. W. M. Phillips, and the store and saddler's shop were fully insured for £150 and £25 respectively. The stock was insured in the Sun Insurance Company for £1000. The cause of the fire is a mystery.

## OUTBREAK AT WEST WALLSEND.

NEWCASTLE, Monday.

Early on Saturday morning a large wooden building at West Wallsend, belonging to Mr. A. Galpin, was completely destroyed by fire, together with his private residence 15ft. distant. The flames got a firm hold of the first building, and the wind blowing strongly, carried them to the second. Two or three houses in the vicinity had narrow escapes. Part of the main building was occupied as a store by Fry and Co., drapers; and the other part as a billiard saloon. Mr. Galpin is insured in the New Zealand Fire Insurance Co., but he states that he will still lose £350 by the fire. There is not the slightest clue as to its origin. Bush fires were very prevalent in nearly all the suburbs yesterday, and duststorms in the town rendered everything out of doors decidedly unpleasant.

## THE SEAHAM COLLIERY FIRE.

CLOSING OF THE MINE.

(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

NEWCASTLE, Monday.

The principal topic of conversation in town to-day was the fire at the Seaham Colliery and the compulsory closing of the mine. It is the opinion of Dr. Robertson that the exhaustion of oxygen in the mine and consequent smothering of the fire will occupy four weeks. If the mine were opened sooner while any combustion existed, the fire would rapidly increase, and possibly assume greater proportions than before. The main shaft was sealed down by 3 o'clock on Sunday afternoon. A large amount of mystery attaches to the origin of the fire. It cannot be denied that a certain amount of suspicion exists as to the cause of the conflagration, which occurred in a most unlikely place. The pit is particularly free from timber. The overman, Mr. Cator, states that as he passed the locality on Friday afternoon, in company with a miner who had gone in for his tools, there was no sign of fire then. Yet, a miner named Allan Groves, living near the air shaft, saw smoke issuing from the top of the fan-house before dark. He reported this at once to the officials, who, it is stated, examined the vicinity, but found nothing of importance. The Seaham Colliery is the property of the Bank of New Zealand Estates Company.

## MEAT WORKS DESTROYED.

BRISBANE, Monday.

A fire broke out early this morning in a woolshed in connection with the scouring and fellmongering works of the Graziers' Butchering and Meat Export Company. Attempts to subdue the flames were unavailing, and the building and contents, including 124 bales of clean wool, were completely destroyed. The origin of the outbreak is a mystery. The building was uninsured, but the hundred bales of wool were insured in the Canton Company. The monetary loss to the company is estimated at about £1500. Most of the wool was ready for shipment, and the company is under contract to deliver a certain number of bales per month to a large French wool-buyer.

## GREAT AREAS DEVASTATED.

SETTLERS' HOMES THREATENED.

BULLI, Monday.

Yesterday might have been the middle of the summer, so numerous were the bush fires on the mountains. The hills were quite obscured with smoke. Towards evening the fires burned with great brilliancy, in some cases a whole ridge being on fire. About 7 p.m. dense volumes of smoke were seen in Wollongong direction, and the sky was illuminated for a great area as darkness set in. This subsequently was discovered to be due to the disastrous fire of last night.

CAMDEN, Monday.

Boisterous winds have prevailed for the last few days, and bush fires have been observable in the district. The winter just ending is the most disastrous known here for the last half century.

GRETA, Monday.

Extensive bush fires are raging all round the vicinity of Greta and Branxton, on the other side of the river. A vast area of country is on fire. The flames started in the gullies of Mount Hudson, and enveloped that mountain and the range of hills running north-east at Hillsborough. Mr. M. Coffee had a fowlhouse and pigstye burned, besides a large quantity of grass. Numbers of settlers had the greatest difficulty in saving their houses from burning. Maryvale, St. Petrox, Hillsborough, and Eilah are almost bare of grass, and the fire is still raging fiercely. The fire travelled fully 10 miles yesterday, doubtless owing to the strong westerly gale blowing all day. The strong glare in the sky last night evidenced bush fires in the direction of Rothbury and Pokolbin.

GRAFTON, Monday.

Dry westerly winds blew to-day and yesterday, and the atmosphere was full of smoke from the numerous bush fires.

KEMPSEY, Monday.

A very high wind was blowing all day yesterday, causing some of the very worst bush fires ever known in the district. At Dongingalon a house and its contents were burnt, as also was an empty house at Euroka, while large numbers of barns and outbuildings were destroyed, together with miles of fencing. Reports from Yarrahappini state that the Public school there was burnt. At Frederickton the residents were kept going all day battling with the flames in endeavouring to keep them away from the houses. A number of houses and cattle are reported to have been severely burnt.

LAWSON, Monday.

Strong westerly winds have been blowing for the last four days, causing the bush fires to spread widely. The want of rain is badly felt.

LIVERPOOL, Monday.

A high wind has been prevailing during the past three days and the weather has been like summer. Yesterday large bush fires were raging at Holdsworthy and on the town common. The latter, though close to the town, fortunately burned itself out before any damage was done. A fire also occurred in the grass paddocks adjacent to Warwick Farm, and a building narrowly escaped destruction.

MOUNT VICTORIA, Monday.

Bush fires are visible at Lowther and South Kanimbla.

PATERSON, Monday.

Disastrous bush fires are raging in the vicinity. Sunday was a day of intense excitement. No service was held, and all the men were busy day and night keeping at bay the devouring element. Some of the settlers' houses caught fire, but the flames were extinguished before any serious damage was sustained. The fire travelled upward in the direction of Gresford, and but for the energy of the residents and neighbouring friends great destruction to property would have resulted. The fire at present is pretty well under control.

PARKES, Monday.

A fire occurred last night near Tichborne, a cottage owned and occupied by Mrs. M. B. Porter being totally destroyed. It was insured in the Australian Mutual for £155.

TAREE, Monday.

Numerous large bush fires were raging all yesterday and to-day over a great part of the district, destroying fencing and miles of grass. The inhabitants are watchful, fearing damage to house properties. A strong wind is blowing. There has been no rain for some months. This is the driest winter known for many years. Water is getting very scarce.

WINGHAM, Monday.

Terrible bush fires are raging all over this district. Thousands of acres of paddocks and of bush have been burnt; also miles of fences. Fires are raging around this town and round Dingo Creek, Woolla, and Upper Manning. In many places it is with the greatest difficulty that houses, barns and other buildings, and crops are saved. The show-ground buildings and fences were saved from the fire. Several telegraph poles have been burnt down.

WEST MAITLAND, Monday.

A heavy westerly gale blew all yesterday, causing the bush fires to extend rapidly. The fire travelled fully 10 miles during the day, destroying hundreds of acres of grass and a considerable amount of fencing. Several families in the Hillsborough district had a narrow escape of being completely burnt out. With the utmost difficulty the houses were saved.

WINDSOR, Monday.

Yesterday was a terrible day here. The wind was blowing at hurricane speed all day. Bush fires were raging at Kurrajong, Bull Ridge, Wilberforce, and Sackville Reach. The flames could be distinctly seen in volumes at the latter place last night. To-day is very little better than yesterday.

## OUTBREAKS IN THE CITY AND SUBURBS.

The roofs of three houses, numbered respectively 12, 14, and 16 Washington-street, were yesterday damaged by fire caused by a spark from a chimney. The places were built of brick, and had shingle roofs. The fire was extinguished by means of a hydrant before it got a proper hold.

At 3 o'clock yesterday morning a stable in the rear of premises occupied by Joseph Vivaretti, a carter, residing at 92 Darlinghurst-road, was burned down, and a cart inside it severely damaged. The fire was caused by a spark from a chimney.

Early yesterday afternoon a quantity of grass and about 30ft. of fencing to the Government yards at Trafalgar-street, Stanmore, were burned. The fire was extinguished by members of the Metropolitan Fire Brigade with buckets of water.

About 9 o'clock last night the members of the Paddington Brigade also extinguished a fire with buckets of water in a stable in Victoria-street, Paddington, occupied by Mr. Falkner. Only slight damage was caused by fire.

At half-past 4 on Sunday morning the watchman employed on the premises of Mr. C. G. Hatte, Collingwood House, King-street, Newtown, discovered a fire in one of the large show windows of the clothing department. He at once gave the alarm, and within a few moments the local fire brigade reached the spot, and quickly extinguished the incipient outbreak. It appears that the Wenham lamp in the window had been turned low, but, from some unexplained cause, burned up. There being no other lights on the premises at the time, the pressure of gas on this single lamp became so great as to create a flame that communicated with the goods in the window. The premises are very extensive, and the early discovery by the watchman was no doubt the means of averting a disastrous conflagration. As it was, large quantities of goods were damaged. The 10 insurance companies interested have made a prompt settlement of Mr. Hatte's claims, and yesterday he was enabled to commence a sale of salvage stock.

# COUNTRY NEWS.

(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENTS.)

## AN ANTI-ALIEN LEAGUE.

BALLINA, Monday.

A well-attended public meeting was held on Saturday night to form an anti-alien society. Mr. Drummond presided. It was resolved to form a society, to be called the North Coast Anti-Alien Society. It was also decided that any person might become a member on payment of one shilling and subscribing to the following pledge:—"I hereby subscribe myself a member of the North Coast Anti-Alien Society, and with reference to any coloured aliens, known as Chinese, Japanese, kanakas, Hindoos, Cingalese, or other kindred races, I pledge myself in the interests of the well-being of the community not to employ any of them in connection with clearing land, nor in connection with any branch of the sugar industry so long as the present sugar duty remains untouched, nor at any time in connection with any other work or industry. I also pledge myself to use my best endeavours and every legitimate means to induce others to carry out the provisions of this pledge." It was also agreed that the above pledge does not apply to coloured aliens of good repute, married, and of long residence in the colony. A memorial to the Colonial Sugar Company was also adopted for signature expressing gratification that the company does not employ coloured labour in the colony, and requesting that the company will discountenance such employment by farmers under contract to grow sugar cane for the company. A large committee was formed to carry out the objects of the society.

## THE PROPOSED LAND TAX.

NARRABRI, Monday.

In spite of the result of the recent election many of the landowners, both pastoralists and selectors, are bitterly opposed to the proposed land tax, not so much on account of the amount they may have to pay—as several representative men have declared that they will meet that by reducing wages and stopping supplies to travellers—as the general depreciation in land values that must ensue. Many of those who were tempted by the £470 exemption are becoming dubious as to the after result to themselves if the tax is once imposed.

## THE WOOL SEASON.

NARRABRI, Monday.

Wool is coming in very freely, and shearing goes on without any difficulties. One or two pastoralists in this district contemplate sending their wool down by road this season.

ADAMINABY, Monday.

A young man, William O'Neill, was killed on Saturday by his horse falling on him.

A terrific snowstorm has been raging since yesterday.

ARALUEN, Monday.

A violent north-west gale blew all night and day.

A miner, named Litrell, had his leg broken through a fall of earth, and a lad named Roberts his shoulder dislocated at football.

BROKEN HILL, Monday.

To-day the riflemen were chosen to represent the Civilian Rifle Club at the matches at Port Adelaide on 17th September, for which two teams of five men each have been selected. They comprise:—No. 1: Plant, Jobling, Jamieson, Opie, Leevers. No. 2: Knight, Smith, Harper, Young, Waugh. Emergencies: Wiseman, Savage, and Wilson.

BULLI, Monday.

A miner named Robson, residing and working at Austinmer, was found by two miners lying near the railway track about 1 o'clock yesterday morning with a mutilated arm and extensive scalp injuries. Robson was conveyed to the Bulli Cottage Hospital, Drs. Sturt and Kane at 10 o'clock deciding to amputate the right hand and wrist. It is surmised that Robson was run over by the 10.10 train on Saturday night. When discovered he was delirious.

BUNGENDORE, Monday.

Bishop Higgins arrived here on Friday morning. Yesterday he held a confirmation service in St. Mary's Church, there being 72 candidates presented. The Bishop preached morning and evening to large congregations. To-day he proceeds to Hoskinstown, thence to Captain's Flat.

GOULBURN, Monday.

A demonstration was held on Saturday night in the Technical School to mark the opening of the term.

Chief Justice Way is expected to speak here next week on Methodist Union.

The new offices of the land board are practically completed. The interest on the outlay will be less than the amount now paid as rent.

GRAFTON, Monday.

The Rev. J. E. Carruthers, president of the Wesleyan Conference, who is visiting the district in the interest of the church sustentation and extension fund, preached to large congregations here yesterday.

The newly-formed Chamber of Commerce is agitating for the establishment of penny postage and sixpenny telegrams throughout the Clarence district.

Applications have been made for upwards of 100 tons of seed potatoes by farmers around Grafton, who expect the department to grant seed as on the Hunter and other parts of the colony.

GUNNEDAH, Monday.

A terrific duststorm occurred on Sunday. The heat for the past few days was unseasonable. There is no sign of the badly-needed rain.

Shearing is proceeding at Burburgate and Ghoolendaadi. Losses in stock are heavy, and prospects are gloomy.

LAWSON, Monday.

This afternoon Mrs. Alfred Allen, in the presence of a large gathering of parents and friends, distributed the annual prizes for needlework at the local Public school, and in the course of an address to the children referred to the excellent character of the work and the loss which the school will sustain in Mr. Kemp's removal. Mrs. Allen promised to give a special prize to the best sewer next year. A public banquet is to be given to Mr. and Mrs. Kemp to-morrow night prior to their departure.

LIVERPOOL, Monday.

A petition is being extensively signed by the residents of St. John's and Canley Park for presentation to Alderman C. A. Scrivener, returning officer for the electoral district of Canterbury, praying that the polling booth recently cancelled at Canley Vale be re-established.

The St. John's Park Literary and Debating Club recently held a mock Parliamentary election, resulting in the election of Mr. T. C. Brown, federationist.

A young man named Palmer, employed at Christiansen's brickworks, suddenly became insane last week. He savagely attacked and assaulted one or two persons before he could be secured. He was handed over to the police and subsequently ordered by the Bench to be sent to the Receiving House, Darlinghurst.

MACLEAN, Monday.

To-night a poultry club was organised here. It is expected to be largely supported.

NARRABRI, Monday.

The weather remains dry, and in spite of the rain which fell a few days since there is very little green shoot observable. The days are getting warm, but slight frosts prevailed for the last night or two, which probably accounts for the check upon herbage.

Reports as to the condition of stock all round are not at all reassuring, and much uneasiness is manifested by all classes of stockowners as to the outlook.

The railway extension is being pushed on apace, and the contractors are simply inundated with applications from men wanting employment, but the majority of those offering are unsuited to the work.

The boiling-down works have slackened off owing to shearing, but if the present dry weather continues and sheep can be travelled to them there will be plenty of work for them shortly.

NOWRA, Monday.

Mr. Henry Gordon Morton, J.P., for many years steward of the Berry estate, and father of Mr. Morton, M.L.A., died this evening after a long illness aged 69 years.

NEWCASTLE, Monday.

At the inquest held by Coroner Martin, J.P., at Jesmond on Saturday upon the body of James

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Lambert, who met his death while working at a small colliery at North Lambton through a fall of coal, a verdict of accidental death was returned.

PAMBULA, Monday.

A severe gale sprang up about midnight on Saturday, and still continues blowing very hard from the west. Roads have been blocked in places by falling timber.

PARKES, Monday.

The weather is fine and continues mild. More rain would be beneficial to the crops and herbage.

RIVERSTONE, Monday.

The summer weather is fast approaching. The butchers at the local meat works started night work on Sunday night.

SINGLETON, Monday.

Mr. Dunnicliffe, of the Agricultural Department, was here to-day to receive applications for seed wheat. Fully 30 farmers applied for seed. The Mayor, Mr. A. C. Robinson, assisted.

SPRINGWOOD, Monday.

Early yesterday morning a gale from the north-west set in and continued without abatement until this morning, when it eased off. At times the gusts were very severe. No rain has fallen, and water is very scarce.

TRUNKEY, Monday.

The weather is now beautifully fine and spring-like. During the early part of the week 74 points of rain fell here. Crops are beginning to cover the ground; shortly we may expect plenty of sheep feed, but food for large stock cannot be expected before October.

The local scalp-receiver this month received upwards of 2000 scalps of hares, wallabys, and kangaroo rats. The slaughter of marsupials this winter has been considerable.

The local land board finished a three days' sitting here on Friday.

WAGGA, Monday.

The entries for the Murrumbidgee Pastoral and Agricultural show, to be held on the 4th and 5th September, number 1922, being slightly in excess of last year's.

The Wagga Co-operative Dairy Company has accepted the tender of T. Robinson and Company, Limited, of Melbourne, for the erection of a complete butter and ice making plant.

Mr. J. J. M'Grath, owner of several racehorses, sustained a severe loss on Saturday by the death of the valuable two-year-old filly Indolence Invermay—Wanda.

WEST MAITLAND, Monday.

A petition is being largely signed here for the release of Suffield, who is now undergoing a sentence of 10 years' imprisonment. Over 500 signatures have been obtained.

WEST WYALONG, Monday.

Thirty candidates contested the 12 seats on the progress committee, and keen interest was evidenced by the public in the polling on Saturday. The following gentlemen were elected in the order named:—Messrs. Morgan, Nukles, Meagher, Gelling, Evans, Crowe, Welby, Thomas, Coonan, Chapple, Dillon, and Hancox. Over 400 persons voted.

WINDSOR, Monday.

The news of the death of Mrs. Critchley, wife of the local stationmaster, caused by being thrown from a buggy at Nevertire on Sunday, was received here with much regret. The deceased had been resident here for a number of years and was much respected.

WINGHAM, Monday.

Stock must perish in large numbers for want of feed. On the Upper Manning all farming work has been stopped for want of rain. Several tanks in the town are dry. The thermometer yesterday was 84° in the shade. A high wind is still blowing. This is the most severe winter ever known on the Manning.

## PASTORAL INTELLIGENCE.

(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

COONAMBLE, Saturday.

Stock movements:—1700 fat wethers, from Culga station to Homebush, via Narrabri, Ryder Brothers owners; 2010 fat wethers, from Combogolong station to Sydney, via Nevertire, James Peacock owner; 800 fat sheep, from Mowlina station to Sydney, via Mandooran (Mudgee), Lane Brothers owners; 1300 fat sheep, from selections, Toloon to Homebush, via Mudgee, J. Parkinson owner; 2419 fat sheep, from Ulah station to Homebush, via Mudgee, J. R. Fleming owner; 2000 fat sheep, from Grahwey station to Homebush, via Rylstone, Powell owner. The weather is very dry, and there is a scarcity of grass and water.

## PRESENTATION TO CAPTAIN DIDIER.

When, some 15 months ago, it was reported that Captain Didier, the popular commandant of the M.M. R.M.S. Australien, was about to retire from the position in which he had won such golden opinions, there was a combined chorus of deep regret on the part of his many Australian friends; and, largely in consequence of earnest pressure from the Australian side, the M.M. Company extended Captain Didier's term for a year, a decision which was heartily welcomed and approved; but the time has passed so quickly that until the ship was actually in port the fact that the present was the final voyage of Captain Didier to this port had not been realised. It was felt by many, who as passengers or acquaintances had met and appreciated the genial commandant, that the chain which had been forged year after year must not be broken without some evidence of a lasting character accompanying the adieux. Action was taken, which resulted in the purchase of a handsome silver salver—which has been in existence longer than our country has been known—a genuine specimen of George III. silver manufacture 150 years old, which has been for some time in the possession of Messrs. Flavelle and Roberts, and more than once nearly passed into other hands. The presentation was an important feature of an "at home" held on board yesterday afternoon. Captain Didier welcomed his guests on the upper deck, and these included—

M. and Madame Blanc (the lady acting as hostess), Mrs. Whitehead, and the Misses Dailey, the Consul-General of France (M. Biard d'Aunet), the Consul for Russia (Mr. E. M. Paul), Captain Castle, R.N., and Mrs. Castle, Mrs. Harvey Dickenson, Mr. Justice and Lady Windeyer, the Misses Windeyer, Lady Innes, Dr. and Madame Laure, Mr. and Mrs. Wise, Mrs. Threlfall, Dr. and Madame Rougier, Miss Robertson, Mrs. Fairfax and Miss Fairfax, Mrs. and the Misses Dibbs, Mrs. and Miss Massie, Mr. and Mrs. S. A. Joseph, Mr. Forbes Angus, Mrs. G. H. Greene, the Misses Greene, Mr. and Mrs. F. Moore, the Hon. H. E. Kater and Mrs. Kater, Mr. Lassetter, M. and Madame Shard, Mrs. Gadsden, Mrs. J. Lang Campbell, Mr. and Mrs. Ellison Rich, the Hon. James Watson, the Misses Watson, Mrs. J. F. Anderson, Miss Hoskings, Mrs. and the Misses Curnow, Mr. Deas-Thomson, Miss Deas-Thomson, Mrs. Weston and the Misses Weston, Mrs. Edward Jenkins, Mrs. A. Dowling, M. and Mdme. de Possell, M. Rigoreau, M. and Mdme. Boivin, Mrs. Gerber, Mrs. T. Jones, Miss M. and Mr. Wilfrid Jones, Mrs. Casson Simpson, Mdlle. Chretien, M. and Mdme. Ad t. M. and Mdme. Fesq, Mr. and Mrs. Dolman, Misses Dolman, Miss Simpson, Mdme. Strumfels, Messieurs Funck, Mr. and Mrs. Humphrey Oxenham, Professor Anderson Stuart, the Misses Cox, Mr. and Mrs. Merrell, Mr. and Mrs. St. Georges, M. and Mdme. de Wroblewskie, Lieutenant Harvey, R.N., Mrs. Harvey, M. and Mdme. Van der Velde, M. and Mdme. Vincot, Mrs. Scott Campbell and Miss Campbell, Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Joseph, Mr. and Mrs. Clibborn, Mr. and Mrs. Levy, Mr. Frossard, Mr. and Mrs. Chard, M. and Mdme. Mornoul, Mr. Joseph Marks and Miss Marks, M. and Mdme. Metayer, Mr. and Mrs. Aston Watkins, Mr. Durieux, Mr. and Mrs. Smith, Mr. H. Vecke, Mr. Flipo, Miss Pedley, Mr. Griffiths, Mrs. R. J. Gray, Mr. Carl Fischer, Mr. Alex. Wise, Rev. Pere Le Rennetel, Miss Scarvell, Mr. J. White, Dr. J. Ashburton Thompson, Mr. Reginald Laidley, Mr. and Mrs. David Reid, Mr. A. M. Severn, Mr. Harley Mackenzie, the Rev. Dr. Cummings, V.G. (Christchurch (N.Z.), the Rev. Guillemin, Mr. Eric Mackay, Miss Knight (Hobart), &c.

When the company had assembled an adjournment was made to the saloon, where Mr. Wise, M. Blanc, Dr. Rougier, M. Flipo, Mr. Shard, M. de Wroblewskie, M. Funck, and Captain Didier met in the centre. Mr. Wise, addressing Captain Didier, said that to him had fallen the honour, on behalf of many Sydney friends, to express their deep regret that this was the final voyage of the gallant commander and genial friend who had long held so high a place in their regard. It was unnecessary, in the presence of that large company, to attempt any words of praise of that friend, and were it necessary it would be impossible for him to do so worthily. All knew his merits, but few even of those who had travelled so pleasantly in Captain Didier's vessel to and from Europe knew how very much of their comfort was due to the gentle yet firm control exercised over all in his ship by the commander. They knew and valued their friend, and they begged his acceptance of the silver salver inscribed "From His Friends," as a souvenir of their lasting regard, and their regret—a regret tempered by the remembrance that their loss meant well-earned rest and union with his family. They further begged him to present to Mme. Didier the rug of Australian fur which accompanied the salver.

Captain Didier, speaking with evident emotion, said that he had no words in which to reply to the eulogy of Mr. Wise. He felt he was surrounded by dear friends, who year after year had made his visits to Australia so pleasant. He had from the first received much sympathy, much hospitality, and he warmly thanked them, and would ever cherish their friendship with a regard as sincere and cordial as their own. The remembrance of that brilliant assembly would live in his remembrance and consecrate the day a brilliant close to a long career, which it was quite time should finish. ("No, no.") That service had been made easy by the warm regard which from the first he had received. He should never forget his Australian friends or the festival with which they had that day honoured them, and with much sincerity wished all "Good-bye."

Refreshments were then served, and in discussing the dainties provided the hours passed very pleasantly.

## AUSTRALIAN EXPORT TRADE.

### THE CAUSES OF PAST FAILURES.

### A BRIGHT FUTURE PREDICTED.

By the German mail steamer Sachsen, which arrived here on Saturday, Mr. S. W. Bradbury, a Sydney merchant, who has been on a visit to England and the Continent for the purpose of making investigations regarding the export trade of Australia, returned home. In conversation with a representative of the *Herald* last evening he gave the result of his inquiries, which will doubtless prove valuable to those interested in the trade relations between Australia and the Old World. Questioned as to the scope of his inquiries he said:—

"I visited Liverpool, Manchester, Glasgow, Bradford, Hull, Portsmouth, and several other towns in England with a view to ascertain what was being done, what kind of meat was required, and what prices were being obtained. One result of my journey has been that a firm in which I am interested will open two new markets and cold-storing depots for Australian meat. One of these will be on a very extensive scale, and will be the largest ever erected in England. In addition to these we have made arrangements for the erection of a similar market on the continent."

"Is there an opening for Australian products on the Continent?"

"Oh, yes. I visited Paris and several other Continental towns of importance, and found the same as in England, that there is a very strong feeling to increase the trade with Australia. I understand that the French Government intends shortly to despatch an agent to take a run through Australia for the purpose of investigating the cattle, frozen meat, and tinned goods trades. A firm of bankers has guaranteed the capital for the erection of a very large cold storage depot on the Continent, and everything points to a big trade in the near future. This banking firm is at present importing very largely from the Argentine, but the tide is turning in favour of Australia."

"What is the condition of the frozen meat upon arrival?"

"What our squatters want to do is to improve the crossbred sheep. The trade would pay handsomely if they would only pay attention to breeding the sheep which would meet with the most ready sale at home. What is required for the London market are nuggety sheep instead of long boney animals. Again, if sheep are too fat there is a prejudice against them. The method of distribution, however, is the crying scandal. The squatters of Australia are losing enormous sums of money through having no proper method of distribution at home. The shipments are received by shipping firms who are ignorant of the requirements. The squatters send indiscriminately whole shipments of mutton without grading, and without paying any attention to size."

"Then some amount of supervision would tend to improve the trade?"

"I would strongly impress upon the attention of the pastoralists the importance of supervision, and the sending of meat into the proper channels in Europe. Under the present system there are three or four middlemen, and the squatter's profit disappears. If the trade were only worked *properly* at the other end every class of sheep bred in Australia would find a good market. The leanest sheep produced here would find a ready sale in some of the provincial towns—especially manufacturing centres. If this industry is to prosper there must be proper supervision, because no sheep that come into London vary so much as those from Australia. Great Lincolns, Lincoln crossbreds, and Down crossbreds, each varying very much in condition, are sent to one man, who only has a London trade; whereas, if effective arrangements existed, the different descriptions of mutton could be drafted off to those places where it obtains the best market. As a rule, the London salesmen have neither time nor inclination to grade the sheep. Only one or two leading firms have branch establishments in the provinces, which demand that they should be supplied with the proper kind of meat."

"Is there a large demand for lamb?"

"It is practically impossible to overstock the London market with lamb of the right kind. When I was in London I saw hardly any nice nuggety carcases from Australia. They were mostly lean and boney and looked too much like mutton. The English are not accustomed to this kind of meat, and will not believe it is lamb. What we should do is to cross-breed with Shropshire sheep. They are very prolific, and very profitable. Messrs. Geddes, Bert, and Co. seem to be the people who have got a better hold of the Australian trade in London than anyone else. They seem to have a grip of the requirements of the trade, and have most perfect arrangements for distribution. There are three firms interested—Messrs. Geddes, Bert, and Co., Messrs. Garvan, Potter, and Bert, and Messrs. Bert, Potter, and Hughes. One of the partners devotes almost the whole of his time to the Australian trade. These firms are now obtaining advance orders, so that the squatters well know what they will get for their sheep before they ship them."

"Did you make any inquiries in regard to the live cattle trade?"

"Yes; I was with Mr. Bergl, of the firm of Bergl and Brabbin, of London and Sydney, almost daily at the Smithfield and Deptford markets. He is a man who is likely to be of very great service to Australia. He appears to be an enthusiastic, business-like, speculative, determined man who is not daunted by losses, and he has behind him considerable capital. Mr. Bergl told me that he was making arrangements to open 100 shops in London for the purpose of retailing Australian meat. He has left Liverpool and has taken up his residence in London, with an office at Smithfield."

"Did you learn anything regarding other Australian products?"

"Oh yes. Rabbits especially. There is an enormous market, which is almost untouched for rabbits in every provincial town, and not an Australian rabbit to be seen. While we are poisoning them here we might be selling them in England for from 6d to 10d each. There is an unlimited market for rabbits at remunerative prices. I saw a good many Australian rabbits in the Leadenhall market, but they were not fit for sale owing to the careless way in which they had been cleaned. Nothing should be left in the body but the heart."

"Have you anything to say in reference to frozen beef?"

"Well, the Australian frozen beef compares very unfavourably indeed with the American. There is too much skirting left on. A good deal of money is lost by cutting the fore-quarters too long, as there is generally about 1d a pound difference between the prices of fore and hind quarters. I should say that from 3s to 4s per quarter is lost in this way, which is a serious matter in a large shipment."

"What was the result of the shipments of kidneys?"

"I saw a large number of sheeps' kidneys, but those from Australia, although perfectly good, were almost unsaleable. A salesman in the Smithfield market placed Australian and American kidneys side by side, and I could not believe my eyes. The American article was bright, clear-looking, and nice, whilst those from Australia were of a nasty dark purple colour, and appeared withered. The cause of this is that when they are taken out they are thrown into a heap and allowed to dry. If they were kept from the dry air of this climate until placed in the freezing chamber, they would retain their colour and would bring at least 30 per cent. or 40 per cent. more."

"Is there much demand for Australian poultry?"

"There is a very great sale for poultry in the winter and spring months, and we could hardly overstock the market. In the proper season high prices could be obtained, but at other times it would be useless to export. This is another proof of the necessity for advisers on the other side."

"Do you think there would be a good market for Australian hares?"

"Yes, there is a very large opening for them, but comparatively few are exported. I was told by large produce men in almost every one of the large towns of England that they could never get enough of them. I once shot 400 or 500 hares in a day on a station in Monaro, and left them lying there. This is done every day, whereas they are worth at least 2s each in London, with an almost unlimited demand in the provinces."

"Did your inquiries extend to dairy produce?"

"Well, slightly. I found that there was a large demand for butter, but a better price would be obtained if the exporters would make up their goods in a similar manner to those imported from other ports. There is a kind of prejudice and suspicion about Australian butter, because it is done up differently. The trade is not established yet; it will take years to establish. Some of the Australian butter is wrapped in paper instead of muslin, which has the effect of reducing its value in the London market. The wrapping and packages should be similar to those used for goods known as 'going' lines, and then sales could be effected more easily."

"The trade in Australian canned meats, I believe, is more successful?"

"Yes, there is a very great future before the Australian canning trade. The American canned is very much inferior to the Australian, both in flavour and in appearance; but the Americans seem to get up the tin in a nicer manner, which has a big effect in disposing of the goods. There is an increasing trade in canned meats, which can be developed to an immense extent. I heard it very favourably spoken of on the Continent. When I was in Italy I was told that the canned meats of the Sydney Meat Preserving Company had been exceptionally well received there, and that orders were in consequence to be largely increased."

"Then on the whole you regard the prospects of the export trade as encouraging?"

"Yes; there is a very great future before Australia in these lines. The falling-off of the American supplies is turning the attention of people both in England and on the Continent to Australia."

## THE CATTLE AND MEAT EXPORT TRADE.

### EXTENSIVE SHIPMENTS.

Messrs. Bergl and Brabbin, cattle and meat exporters of Sydney and London, have completed arrangements for continuing their frequent shipments of live stock. The two Sydney representatives of the firm, Mr. Charles Brabbin and Mr. Alexander Bergl, jun., were seen yesterday evening by a *Herald* reporter in reference to the cable message published in our issue of yesterday, and they confirmed the statement that arrangements had been made to receive 5000 cattle annually for export to London. Questioned as to the extent of future shipments, they said that so far arrangements had been made with the following vessels to carry live stock:—S.S. Maori King, leaving in a week, 120 head cattle; s.s. Nairnshire, leaving 10th September, 94 head cattle; s.s. Gulf of Bothnia, leaving third week in September, 80 or 90 head cattle; s.s. Port Chalmers, leaving end of September, 90 head cattle and 20,000 carcases mutton; and s.s. Angers, leaving in October, 550 head cattle. The Southern Cross was on her homeward journey with 550 cattle, 29 horses, and 488 sheep. "In addition to live stock," said Mr. Bergl, "we have for the last three months exported by the mail steamers every week 1000 quarters of beef, sometimes more."

Mr. Brabbin interposed, "Since we commenced operations in Australia, in January last, we have sent 1000 head of cattle, and since May last we have exported 25,000 quarters of beef." Mr. Brabbin further said that they were determined to make the industry a paying concern. Nearly the whole of the live cattle which had been sent to England had gone through them.

In reply to queries as to the prices obtained, Mr. Brabbin said that one small consignment which they had sent home for a squatter, Mr. M'Master, had realised £7 11s per head net. That was, that after all freight and commissions had been paid, the squatter received £7 11s per head, whereas had he sold the cattle at Homebush at that time, he would have obtained £4, or at the most £4 10s per head.

The cattle which are to be sent, Mr. Bergl said, consisted of Durhams and Herefords, bred and fed on the Bibbenluke station, near Cooma, and the Elah station, near Maitland. Both members of the firm expressed themselves as pleased that the special representative of the *Sydney Morning Herald*, now in London, would have an opportunity of inspecting the shipments of live cattle upon their arrival at their destination. He would thus be enabled to see the condition of the meat when placed on the London market.

## THE PROSPECTS OF THE WOOL TRADE.

### OPINIONS OF SYDNEY BROKERS.

A cablegram from London was published in yesterday's *Herald* to the effect that prospects in the wool trade were very good, and that experts expected another good rise this year, with an improving market in 1896. The message also gave the gist of an interview with Mr. E. M. Young, general manager of the Australian Mortgage, Land, and Finance Company. Yesterday a representative of the *Herald* waited on some of the leading wool merchants in the city to ascertain their views on the subject. There appears to be a concensus of opinion that the predictions contained in the cablegram were wholly of too optimistic a character, and it was doubted very much whether anyone was able to say what the wool market would be in 1896. When a man prophesied for the immediate future in the trade he had done as much as was possible, but no wool prophet had ever yet succeeded in forecasting the market to the extent in the cablegram. It was very hard to say—indeed it was questionable if anyone could state—what was going to happen in a month's time, much less in a year, in the wool market. Something to the same effect as the present message appeared about the same time last year, but the predicted rise did not take place. The cablegram was really a case of special pleading for the London market, and was very subtly worded in this respect. The statement that "experts expect another rise this year, with an improving market in 1896," was simply intended to give growers in the colony such a view of future prospects that they would not sell their wool in the colony at all, but would ship it home with the idea of getting the benefit of the improvement which apparently was going to continue through 1896. It would be bad for the colony if growers should be induced to ship all their wool direct to London, as they might, in seeking to get the benefit of the predicted rise, be left out in the cold. There was nothing more uncertain than wool. It was hoped that Mr. Young's predictions would be verified. Advices from home reported a very hopeful feeling in all manufacturing centres, and the competition of Continental and American buyers was expected to be a marked feature in the coming series of sales. On the whole, Mr. Young's forecast was very likely to be borne out, so far as an immediate improvement was concerned. That the outlook of the market was most favourable there could be no doubt, but that the market was going to be a progressively improving one for more than a year ahead no man who knew anything about the wool trade would attempt to say. Indications pointed to an improvement, but predictions like the present one had been so often proved to be fallacious that it was not a safe thing to build upon what was said to be going to happen in a year's time, because they had to reckon with so many contributing causes which it was difficult to foresee. A better price for wool might be expected here, and it was a noteworthy fact that a rise in the English market was often anticipated by several weeks in the colonies. The fall in prices during the last two years had been caused by the withdrawal of the American demand, as one of the outcomes of the depression in that country; and a revival of prices was most likely to come from the same quarter. The revival of trade in America, added to the striking off of the wool duties, was no doubt an important factor in the improved prospects of wool, the continuance of which would depend largely upon the continuance of the improvement in the American trade. The statement that "American buyers will purchase heavily at the September-November sales" was probably quite correct, for, as a matter of fact, some heavy American orders were on the market here, only waiting for execution till enough wool to supply them should come forward. If the American demand continued as strong during 1896, then the expectation of an improved market would no doubt be realised, because the colony depended very largely at the present time on American buyers. Now that the American wool import duty had been struck off, their buyers would be able to purchase the lower grade wools, whereas formerly, because of the high rate of duty, they could only afford to use the very best; consequently they confined their attention wholly to the colony of Victoria, where the extra superior wool came from. The American demand for greasy wools would probably affect New South Wales growers more than in former years. Americans bought largely at the last London sales, and a great number of American buyers were expected here at the next wool auctions, so that there would be the same competition here as there had been in London.

## TARIFF REFORM IN VICTORIA.

### CHARACTER OF THE MOVEMENT.

### THE FEDERAL QUESTION.

Mr. J. G. Duffy, Postmaster-General in the Turner Government, yesterday returned to Melbourne after a short visit to Sydney on private business. Before leaving, however, he called upon the postal authorities here, but there was not time to allow of any important matters of State being mutually considered.

Speaking to a *Herald* reporter, Mr. Duffy said that it was imperative some change should be made in the administration of the Railway Department in Victoria. It seemed to be going from bad to worse, but still he did not think it was likely that Mr. Speight would return to office. There was a very strong feeling against him in a certain section of the community, and this, he thought, would block his way back again.

Reverting to the question of tariff reform Mr. Duffy said: "I cannot say that we are returning to freetrade. A very definite decision has been given against prohibitive duties. The feeling of the country is very pronounced. We will make a number of changes yet in addition to what has been done towards a lower tariff with a view of placing it as far as possible on a revenue basis. In all cases where the tariff is found to be unduly pressing on the people without affording any compensating advantages it will be considerably reduced."

"But is there not a freetrade reaction setting in?" inquired the reporter.

"No; it has not got that far; nor do I think that the movement which you *style* a reaction will ever be sufficiently advanced to entitle it to the name of freetrade. It was simply a question of prohibition at the last election, and the country has spoken against it, and for a revenue-producing tariff. It is not a time with us for any experiments. We want all the revenue we can get from the Customs-house. The small freetrade party itself does not want a hasty return to nominal duties. The interests dependent on protection are now so large and so various in Victoria that any decided step towards freetrade would cause a strong counter action towards protection. On both sides, therefore, moderation is counselled, and the general feeling is that it is wise for us for some time to go slow. The days of rash experiments are past, and we want to *retrace* our steps to our former prosperity very carefully and surely. The watchword of all parties in politics is caution."

"We have no doubt as to the wisdom of freetrade in this colony."

"It may, no doubt, suit your colony; but of one thing I am certain, and it is that it will suit us very well. The difference, however, is that we in Victoria have no confidence in freetrade. We are still a strongly protective people, but we no longer believe in prohibitive duties."

"Is the subject of federation making any popular advance?"

"Yes; we are seriously considering it. The question of federation is a live one with us, but I am afraid that the return of New South Wales to a freetrade tariff will cause a serious obstacle in the way of its practical attainment."

"Once you have our markets, you will lose interest?"

"Oh no; I think the question has passed that stage with us. It is lifted above such sordid surroundings. The difficulty I see will be the impossibility of a protectionist colony federating with a freetrade one. It is simply the reappearance of an old lion in the path, and when approached may not be so formidable a one as it appears to Victorians at the present. Still, with us, it is considered a serious obstacle at the present time."

"Mr. Turner seems to have gained a strong position?"

"He has proved an agreeable surprise to all his friends. He had to be forced, in the absence of a suitable man, to take the Premiership, and he has filled the position excellently. He has a wonderful power of administration, and has an instinctive conception of the methods of party government. He never professed to be an adept at figures, but his statements have never been equalled since the days of M'Culloch and Service. He has made our complicated finances as clear as running water, with the result that confidence is returning in commercial circles. We have at last touched bottom. There is no doubt about that, and we are beginning to feel an upward tendency. We have gone through our greatest difficulties."

## SPORTING INTELLIGENCE.

### THE TURF.

A programme of pony and galloway races will be played out at Rosebery Park this afternoon, commencing at 2.30. The regular means of transit by rail and road will be available.

Mr. T. S. Clibborn held a sale of racehorses at Fennelly's Bazaar yesterday afternoon, when the following changed hands:—Ch h Boots, by Butler from Lenore, aged—Mr. J. W. C. Hunter, 121 guineas; br g Jersey, by Trenton from Emily, 5 years—Mr. Fitzgerald, 31 guineas; and blk m Queensborough, by Kingsborough from Feu d'Artifice, 6 years—Mr. Fletcher, 100 guineas.

The stewards of the Rosehill Racing Club yesterday held an investigation into the cause of the collision in the August Handicap on Saturday, by which the jockey Connors got his right leg injured while riding Loch Leigh. At the inquiry it was shown that the accident was caused through being forced on the rail by Kelso, on whom Laycock had the mount, but there was no evidence to show that it was a case of wilful interference, and the matter was dismissed, with a caution to Laycock to be more careful in future.

The privileges connected with Tattersall's Club August Meeting were submitted to public competition yesterday by Mr. George Kiss, and realised £350, of which the entrance gates brought £250, and the St. Leger Reserve £100.

Little Lady out of the Fourteen-one Handicap and Miss Selkirk out of the Fifteen Hands Handicap are the scratchings notified yesterday in connection with the Kensington Pony and Galloway Meeting.

The weights fo the handicap events included in the programme for Tattersall's Club August Meeting were declared yesterday, and the adjustments are set forth elsewhere in this issue. Bungebah heads the lengthy list for the Tramway Handicap with 9st 8lb, and concedes a pound to Whakawatea, but both appear to have had their full share, and the same may be said of Common. Plain Bill, Albicore, and Panoply have been aptly placed; and Aurea, Sadur, and Doris have no cause for complaint at their respective weights; while Finis, Enid, and Jack o' Lantern have not been overburdened. Favour is at the top of the tree for the Hurdle Race with 12st 10lb, an impost that should steady him; Brooklyn and Cumberoona have been placed on the 12st mark, and are followed by Boots, who has fully earned his burden of 11st 7lb. Martinet reads well at 10st 7lb; and Alaska, Trillo, and Young Piscator have not been overrated. The disappointing Ruenalf has enough in 9st 1lb for the Spring Handicap, but Quiver with 4lb less has a more attractive appearance; while Panoply, Triton, Ballater, Osculator, and Royal Rose have none the worst of the fixtures.

Taupara was yesterday struck out of the Hurdle Race in connection with Tattersall's Club August reunion.

The general entry for the Hawkesbury Spring Meeting took place yesterday, and closed with a total of 131 entries for the eight events for which nominations had been invited. The Hurdle Race attracted 13, September Handicap 17, Public Auction Stakes 6, Clarendon Handicap 16, Members' Handicap 29, Corinthian Handicap 14, Steeplechase 13, and Spring Welter 23. The lists, which are published in another part of this issue, include a number of good performers, and a successful meeting may be anticipated.

Forfeits for the leading handicaps of the Hawkesbury Spring Meeting were declared yesterday. Of the 48 entrants for the County Purse, 32 have accepted, the malcontents being Common, Sundial, Aurea, Buccleugh, Milkmaid, Bel Giorno, Musketoon, Thespian, Rockwall, Coolalta, Waterfall, Bethel, Ebony, Ethelwin, Silverstone, The Sketch, and Broom. Eleven left the Grand Handicap, leaving 23 acceptors, the withdrawals having been Newman, Quiver, Trenchant, Veno, Ronda, Isaac, Rockwall, Creme d'Or, Reconstruction, Ury, Elton, and Hindoo.

Entries close to-morrow evening for the next three meetings to be held at Lillie Bridge, particulars of which will be found in our advertising sheets.

### TATTERSALL'S CLUB AUGUST MEETING.

The weights for the handicaps to be decided at the above reunion next Saturday were declared yesterday as under:—

TRAMWAY HANDICAP—6 furlongs.

| | st | lb | | st | lb | | st | lb |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Bungebah | 9 | 8 | Waltzer | 7 | 10 | Ury | 7 | 2 |
| Whakawatea | 9 | 7 | Doris | 7 | 10 | King Arthur | 7 | 0 |
| Common | 8 | 12 | Division | 7 | 10 | Astronomer | 6 | 12 |
| Plain Bill | 8 | 9 | Volney | 7 | 7 | Witchery | 6 | 12 |
| Albicore | 8 | 8 | Fitz-Donovan | 7 | 6 | Bethel | 6 | 12 |
| Panoply | 8 | 7 | Blue Cap | 7 | 6 | | | |
| Buccleugh | 8 | 6 | Bendigo | 7 | 4 | Barnaby Rudge | 6 | 12 |
| Swagman | 8 | 6 | Gollarette | 7 | 4 | Clondalkin | 6 | 7 |
| Aurea | 8 | 6 | Cabin Boy | 7 | 4 | | | |
| Sadur | 8 | 4 | Finis | 7 | 4 | Jack o' Lantern | 6 | 7 |
| Isaac | 8 | 0 | Enid | 7 | 2 | Scoria | 6 | 7 |
| Regina | 7 | 13 | The Bee | 7 | 2 | | | |

HURDLE RACE—2 miles.

| | st | lb | | st | lb | | st | lb |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Favour | 12 | 10 | Taupara | 9 | 12 | Trillo | 9 | 0 |
| Brooklyn | 12 | 0 | Fright | 9 | 7 | Gladstone | 9 | 0 |
| Cumberoona | 12 | 0 | Waterbury | 9 | 6 | Oliver | 9 | 0 |
| Boots | 11 | 7 | Alaska | 9 | 5 | Y'ng Piscator | 9 | 0 |
| Cape Pigeon | 11 | 3 | Faux Pas | 9 | 3 | Palmetta | 9 | 0 |
| Martinet | 10 | 7 | Snorter | 9 | 3 | Havanna | 9 | 0 |
| Waratah | 9 | 12 | | | | | | |

SPRING HANDICAP—1½ mile.

| | st | lb | | st | lb | | st | lb |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| Ruenalf | 9 | 1 | Division | 7 | 7 | Laura | 6 | 11 |
| Quiver | 8 | 11 | Doris | 7 | 6 | Enid | 6 | 10 |
| Oxide | 8 | 11 | Gozoreina | 7 | 4 | Osculator | 6 | 10 |
| Nobleman | 8 | 9 | Fitz-Donovan | 7 | 4 | Vivian | 6 | 10 |
| Little Agnes | 8 | 9 | | 7 | 4 | Heather Bell | 6 | 8 |
| Aureus | 8 | 4 | Rockwall | 7 | 2 | Hindoo | 6 | 8 |
| Panoply | 8 | 3 | Blue Cap | 7 | 2 | Loch Leigh | 6 | 7 |
| Royal Rose | 8 | 3 | Cradle | 7 | 0 | Ethelwin | 6 | 7 |
| Ballater | 8 | 0 | Reconstruction | 7 | 0 | Toreador | 6 | 7 |
| Triton | 8 | 0 | | 7 | 0 | Robin Hood | 6 | 7 |
| Veno | 7 | 13 | Kelso | 7 | 0 | Te Whiti | 6 | 7 |
| Tridentate | 7 | 9 | Blue Peter | 7 | 0 | Flintlock | 6 | 7 |
| Euroka | 7 | 8 | Boko | 6 | 11 | Fusil | 6 | 7 |

### HAWKESBURY RACE CLUB SPRING MEETING.

The following are the general entries, and the acceptances for the leading handicaps of the above reunion, which takes place at Rosehill on 5th and 7th September:—

FIRST DAY.

HURDLE RACE, 2 miles.—Snorter, Whitefoot, Messenger, Fright, Young Piscator, Trillo, Taupara, Waratah, Palmetto, Faux Pas, Gladstone, Marigold, Martinet.

SEPTEMBER HANDICAP, 7 furlongs.—Mount Victoria, Jack o' Lantern, Woodford, Inspiration, Fadladeen, Clondalkin, J. O. (late Gladstone), Resplendent, Miss Eastbourne (imp.), Wild Olive, Namesake (late Norwood), Ormuz, Scoria, Te Whiti, Bewi, Beau Brummel, Telegraph.

COUNTY PURSE, 6 furlongs (acceptances).—Bungebah, 9st 9lb; Messmate, 9st 5lb; Solanum, 9st; Nobleman, 8st 11lb; Plain Bill, 8st 7lb; Ophir, 8st 4lb; Sadur, 8st 2lb; Lieutenant, 8st; Isaac, 7st 12lb; Doris, 7st 9lb; Sunburst, 7st 8lb; Volney, 7st 8lb; Division, 7st 8lb; Thespian, 7st 8lb; Troilus, 7st 6lb; Blue Cap, 7st 6lb; Creme d'Or, 7st 6lb; Boko, 7st 5lb; Bendigo, 7st 5lb; Fitz-Donovan, 7st 5lb; Enid, 7st 2lb; Sir George, 7st; Glenullin, 7st; Cabin Boy, 7st; Leonidas, 6st 12lb; Astronomer, 6st 12lb; Algiers, 6st 12lb; Toreador, 6st 12lb; Redaeni, 6st 7lb; Beau Brummel, 6st 7lb; Finis, 6st 7lb; Jack o' Lantern, 6st 7lb.

PUBLIC AUCTION STAKES, 6 furlongs.—Kildare, Dan O'Connor, Plain Bill (£100), Juvenile (nil), Mitre (nil), The Wave (nil).

CLARENDON HANDICAP, 1¼ mile and 100 yards.—Toreador, Laura, Flintlock, Ethelwin, Kelso, Rock Rose, Splenda, Red Rose, Wyalong, Queensborough, Ulric, Perseus, Ascot, Newman, Triton, Æolus.

SECOND DAY.

MEMBERS' HANDICAP, 6 furlongs.—Moorefield, Miss Nora, Finis, Newcastle, Woodford, Isaac, Plain Bill, Cabin Boy (late Gondolier), Nardoo, Pastille, Swagman, Buccleugh, Comet, Rock Rose, Lieutenant, Sadur, Enid, Waltzer, Wyalong, Sir Oliver, Regina, Tarrion, Blue Wings, Creme d'Or, Bendigo, Volney, Juvenile, Sir George, Musketoon.

CORINTHIAN HANDICAP, 1 mile.—Dan O'Connor, Carbonado, Jack o' Lantern, Boko, Vanity, Fadladeen, Nita, Comet, Rock Rose, Waltzer, Barnaby Rudge, Coronado, Redavni, Cape Pigeon.

HAWKESBURY GRAND HANDICAP, 1 mile 3 furlongs (acceptances).—Nobleman, 8st 7lb; Aureus, 8st 4lb; Royal Rose, 8st 4lb; Division, 7st 3lb; Queensborough, 7st 3lb; Æolus, 7st 12lb; Magnus, 7st 3lb; Thespian, 7st 3lb; Gozoreina, 7st 2lb; Troilus, 7st 1lb; Blue Cap, 7st 1lb; Cradle, 7st; Kelso, 7st; Blue Peter, 7st; Fitz-Donovan, 7st; Grenadier, 7st; Warminster, 6st 9lb; Osculator, 6st 9lb; Sir George, 6st 9lb; Perseus, 6st 9lb; Leonidas, 6st 7lb; Ethelwin, 6st 7lb; Bogie Man, 6st 7lb.

STEEPLECHASE, about 2½ miles.—Maréchal Neil, St. Barts, Fright, Young Piscator, Shandon, Plantagenet, Reuben, Fore and Aft, Taupara, Waratah, Alarm Bell, Gladstone, Marigold.

SPRING WELTER, 6 furlongs.—Finis, Newcastle, Algiers, Inspiration, Vanity, Cabin Boy (late Gondolier), Nardoo, Horizon, Rock Rose, Lieutenant, Resplendent, The Sketch, Red Rose, Waltzer, Wild Olive, Tarrion, Ulric, Blue Bell, Ascot, Sovereign, Division, Hotspur, Whitefoot, Portland, The Roe, Warlock, Sunburst, Telegraph.

### MOOREFIELD PONY AND GALLOWAY RACES.

Subjoined are the weights for the meeting which takes place to-morrow:—

ROCKDALE HANDICAP (14.1), 4 furlongs.—Guanaco, 9st 4lb; Icasia, 8st 10lb; Will o' the Wisp, 8st 8lb; Pink 'Un, 8st 7lb; Zeno, 8st 7lb; Cambria, 8st 4lb; Dot, 8st; Album, 7st 12lb; Little Clare, 7st 10lb; Commodore, 7st 10lb; Busybody, 7st 10lb; The Bee, 7st 8lb; Eurydice, 7st 7lb; Firefly, 7st 7lb; Ithaca, 7st; Melthora, 6st 12lb; Discount, 6st 10lb; Bustler, 6st 7lb; Midge, 6st 7lb.

WELTER HANDICAP (15.0), 4 furlongs.—Wilga, 10st 9lb; Maybe, 10st 5lb; Killiecrankie, 9st 10lb; Ballymore, 9st 7lb; Emmie, 9st; Crystalline, 9st; True Love, 8st 12lb; Pretence, 8st 11lb; Orange Bud, 8st 10lb; Loch Ena, 8st 7lb; Rex, 8st 5lb; Westwood, 8st 4lb; Saxon Girl, 8st 3lb; Soprano, 8st 2lb; Change It, 8st; Zariff, 7st 12lb; Iduna, 7st 10lb; Barden, 7st 7lb; Nellie Anderson, 7st 7lb; Mudgee, 7st 7lb.

PARK STAKES (15.0), 5 furlongs.—Douglas, 8st 9lb; Bullion, 7st 11lb; Deansgate, 7st 10lb; Towrang, 7st 9lb; Kate, 7st 8lb; Little Min, 7st 7lb; Commodore Nut, 7st 7lb; Dolly Raine, 7st 5lb; Globe Trotter, 7st 5lb; Musk, 7st; Energy, 7st; Lady Clarion, 7st.

TEMPE HANDICAP (14.3), 5 furlongs.—Maybe, 10st 1lb; Mohican, 9st 3lb; Mentor, 8st 10lb; Toetts, 8st 7lb; Uarda, 8st 4lb; Rosy Morn, 7st 12lb; Bullion, 7st 8lb; Twenty Winks, 7st 4lb; Marie Jane, 7st 5lb; Decimal, 7st 1lb; Mudgee, 6st 7lb.

CARLTON HANDICAP (14.2), 5 furlongs.—Orville, 9st; Volley, 8st 7lb; Lady Thornton, 7st 12lb; Marie Jane, 7st 10lb; Twenty Winks, 7st 8lb; Ida, 7st 8lb; Currie Boy, 7st 7lb; Veno, 7st 7lb; Cinder Ellen, 7st 6lb; Vortex, 7st 5lb; Jessie, 7st 4lb; Queenbird, 7st 4lb; Herald, 7st 2lb; Energy, 6st 10lb; Daisy, 6st 7lb.

KOGARAH HANDICAP (15.0), 6 furlongs.—Zingara, 9st 3lb; Sir Oliver, 9st 1lb; Silver Hill, 8st 13lb; Juvenile, 8st 12lb; Loftus, 8st 9lb; Little King, 8st 5lb; Ballymore, 8st 4lb; Pearl Powder, 7st 13lb; Goodman, 7st 11lb; Crystalline, 7st 10lb; Sunnyside, 7st 10lb; Pretence, 7st 7lb; Private Still, 7st 4lb; Westwood, 7st 2lb; Alma, 6st 12lb; Iduna, 6st 10lb; Glen Vive, 6st 9lb; Homer, 6st 8lb; Little Missus, 6st 8lb; Decimal, 6st 7lb.

### LILLIE BRIDGE RACES.

There was a good attendance at Lillie Bridge last evening. The following are the results of the racing:—

TRAMWAY HANDICAP (13.3 to 14.0), 4 furlongs.—W. Foy's Carrie Swain, 7st 12lb, 1. Four started. Betting: 6 to 4 v. Haven, 2 to 1 v. Searle and Autocrat, 4 to 1 v. Carrie Swain.

LODGE HANDICAP (12.3 to 13.1½), 3 furlongs.—Murmur, 10st, +1; Stelladean, 7st 12lb, +2. Six started. Betting: 6 to 4 on Murmur, 3 to 1 v. Blooming and Stelladean, 6 to 1 v. others. Run-off.—Betting: 6 to 4 on Murmur, even money on Stelladean.

COMBINED PONY AND HORSE TROT, 1½ mile.—F. Billett's Bill, scratch, 1. Seven started. Betting: 2 to 1 v. Bill and Tommy, 4 to 1 v. others. Won by three lengths.

LILLIE HANDICAP (12.2½ to 12.3½), 4 furlongs.—W. King's Patience, 11st 7lb, 1. Six started. Betting: 6 to 4 v. Patience, 3 to 1 v. others. Won by half a length from Dorothy.

### HUNTING.

The Sydney Hunt Club having placed their pack of hounds at the disposal of Major-General Hutton and the officers of the New South Wales Permanent Artillery, arrangements were made for a run on Saturday. The trysting-place was at the kennels at Belmore, and at the appointed time there was a large muster, including a number of ladies. The run was through fair hunting country, from Belmore to Morar, where a check was made; and the return to Belmore was over similar ground. Refreshments awaited the hunting party on their arrival at Belmore, and a pleasant time was spent ere returning to town. The hounds worked well, and the outing was a most enjoyable one.

### NEW SOUTH WALES CRICKET ASSOCIATION.

A meeting of the New South Wales Cricket Association was held last night at the Oxford Hotel. Mr. J. M. Gibson occupied the chair. The secretary read the report of the recent deputation to the Minister for Lands with regard to the rights of the association in connection with the Sydney Cricket Ground. The report was received, and on the motion of Mr. Firth the following resolution was unanimously agreed to:—"Having heard the report of the deputation which waited upon the Minister for Lands on the 23rd of August for his decision regarding the powers of this association and the trustees in respect to allotting dates for cricket or other sports on the Sydney Cricket Ground during the cricket season, and as in his decision he states that such ground cannot be let for other sports during the season without having first obtained the assent of this association—it is now resolved that, with the view of meeting the trustees, they have the dates in dispute—viz., 7th October, 16th, 23rd November, 14th and 21st March; and further, that the trustees be requested to meet a committee of the association during the month of June in each year with the view to amicably allot the dates for cricket for the then forthcoming season."

The programme of matches for the senior competition was adopted as follows:—September 28, October 5, 7: South Sydney v. North Sydney, at North Sydney; Glebe v. Burwood, at Wentworth Park; East Sydney v. University, at Rushcutter Bay; Waverley v. Paddington, at Waverley; Central Cumberland, a bye. October 12, 19, 26: South Sydney v. East Sydney, at Sydney Cricket Ground; Glebe v. Central Cumberland, at Wentworth Park; University v. Paddington, at University Oval; Waverley v. Burwood, at Waverley; North Sydney, a bye. November 2, 16, 23: Paddington v. Glebe, at Wentworth Park; Burwood v. East Sydney, at Burwood; University v. South Sydney, at University Oval; North Sydney v. Central Cumberland, at North Sydney; Waverley, a bye. November 30, December 7, 21: Paddington v. Burwood, at Sydney Cricket Ground; South Sydney v. Central Cumberland, at Domain; North Sydney v. East Sydney, at North Sydney; Waverley v. University, at Waverley; Glebe, a bye. January 11, 18, February 1: South Sydney v. Waverley, at Sydney Cricket Ground; Central Cumberland v. Burwood, at Parramatta; East Sydney v. Glebe, at Rushcutter Bay; University v. North Sydney, at University Oval; Paddington, a bye. February 8, 15, 22: University v. Central Cumberland, at Sydney Cricket Ground; Glebe v. South Sydney, at Wentworth Park; East Sydney v. Waverley, at Domain; North Sydney v. Paddington, at North Sydney; Burwood, a bye. March 7, 14, 21: Paddington v. South Sydney, at Rushcutters' Bay; Glebe v. Waverley, at Wentworth Park; Burwood v. North Sydney, at Burwood; Central Cumberland v. East Sydney, at Parramatta; University, a bye. March 28, April 11, 18: Paddington v. East Sydney, at Sydney Cricket Ground; University v. Burwood, at University Oval; North Sydney v. Glebe, at North Sydney; Waverley v. Central Cumberland, at Waverley; South Sydney, a bye. April 25, May 2, 9: North Sydney v. Waverley, at Waverley; Glebe v. University, at Wentworth Park; Burwood v. South Sydney, at Burwood; Paddington v. Central Cumberland, at Parramatta; East Sydney, a bye.

It was decided to increase the secretary's salary from £50 to £100 per annum.

### CRICKET.

The fourth annual meeting of the Mosman Club took place on Friday evening at the local council-chambers. The report submitted showed that 29 matches were played, of which 12 were won, 4 lost, and 13 drawn. C. U. Payten secured a trophy for the highest batting average of 25·15, and for the bowling—6·88. A. Shaw also won a trophy for a batting average of 16·10, and W. Dind was awarded one for the highest individual score in one innings of 89 not out. There was a credit balance on the treasurer's statement. The report was adopted. The chairman (Alderman P. T. Taylor) presented Mr. J. G. Jackschon with a handsome walking-stick, suitably inscribed, in recognition of his services to the club, and he was also made a life-member. Mr. Jackschon, who is leaving the district, suitably responded. The retiring secretary, Mr. A. Tedder, was also presented with a silver-mounted pipe. The following officers were then elected:—President, Mr. D. Thomson, M.L.A.; hon. treasurer, Mr. W. M'Lehan; hon. secretary, Mr. J. Cannon; general committee, Messrs. J. B. Alderson, Alfred Shaw, C. U. Payten, J. Shearer, and A. Tedder; selection committee, Messrs. Payten, Alderson, and M'Lehan; auditors, Messrs. A. Taylor and E. Erskine.

The Hordern Shield, which was won by the Paddington Electorate Cricket Club for the season 1894-95, was presented by the club to the Paddington Council in the local Town Hall on Friday night. The Mayor (Alderman G. Parker Jones) presided. Mr. Storey, M.L.A., as patron of the club, handed over the shield to the council. The Mayor, after accepting the custody of the shield, proposed the health of the Paddington Electorate Cricket Club, coupled with the name of their captain, Mr. A. C. Bannerman, who suitably replied. Mr. John Portus, Mr. Thomas Alcock (president of the club), and Mr. J. C. Neild, M.L.A., also spoke.

The annual meeting of the Wentworth Park Cricket Association is advertised to be held at the Glebe Town Hall on Friday at 8 p.m.

This evening in the Petersham Town Hall a concert is to be given by the Stanmore Institute Cricket Club. Mr. W. H. Parkinson and Mrs. Hugh Duff are to take part, and Mr. Frank H. Stoner is to act as accompanist.

### PUBLIC SCHOOL SPORTS.

The sports meeting in connection with the Athletic Association of the Great Public Schools, fixed for 11th September, should provide an interesting afternoon's sport. The programme contains championships at several distances, jumps, team races, &c. Entries close with Mr. Geo. P. Barbour, at the Grammar School, on Saturday next. This meeting must not be confused with the meeting of the Public Schools Athletic Association, which will be held in the week following. The Great Public Schools, whose meeting takes place on the 11th September, comprise the Sydney Grammar School, the King's School, Newington College, Sydney C.E. Grammar School, Scots' College, St. Ignatius' College, St. Joseph's College, All Saints' (Bathurst), and the Cooerwull Academy.

### RUGBY FOOTBALL UNION.

A meeting of the Rugby Football Union was held last night. Mr. E. A. Sefton presided. The following team of first juniors was selected to play a match against a Bowral team on Saturday on the Agricultural Ground:—Harper, full-back; Malone, Pritchard, and Woller, three-quarters; Frederick and Boyd, halves; Balden, Bate, M'Mahon (Petersham), O'Neil, Williamson, Rooney, Johnston, Ireland, and Grassick, forwards; Roberts and Spillane, emergencies.

The following team was selected to leave for Goulburn on Thursday week to play a local team:—Dooley, full-back; Chaplin, Slade, and Strachan, three-quarters; Boyd and Frederick, halves; Balden, Bate, Ireland, M'Mahon (Carlton), Johnston, Gordon, M'Mahon (Petersham), Grassick, Stephens, and Rooney, forwards; Malone, emergency.

The following is the draw for Saturday next:—Randwick v. Wallaroo, Agricultural Ground, No. 1; Metropolitan Juniors v. Bowral, Agricultural Ground, No. 2; Carlton v. Willoughby, Association Ground; Buccaneer v. Paddington Borough, Norwood Park, No. 1; Summer Hill Oakland v. Mercantile or Wallahra, Agricultural Ground; Homebush or Pioneers v. Balmain Juniors, Norwood Park, No. 2; Federal v. Oriental, Agricultural Ground; Petersham v. Newtown Cambridge, Birchgrove; Native Rose v. Wallahra or Redfern Waratah, Norwood Park, No. 3.

### FOOTBALL.

The following matches were played on Saturday:—

Petersham Second met Granville Royal at Norwood Park in the qualifying round of the fourth junior badges, and the match ended in a win for Petersham by 17 points to 8. Tries for the winners were obtained by Turner (2), Brownlow (1), Budgett (1), and Fife (1). Brown kicking a goal off a try. Claxtone scored a try for the losers, Airey kicking a goal off it. Airey also kicked a goal off a free.

In the second junior competition under British Association rules Granville beat Canterbury at Wentworth Park by 3 goals to 2.

ALBURY, Monday.

Albury versus Beechworth resulted in a tie, 5 goals each being scored.

MACLEAN, Monday.

The Harwood footballers defeated Maclean on Saturday by 6 points to nil.

### LAWN TENNIS.

The deciding matches in the B class of the trophy competitions were played on Saturday, the result being a win for Sydney, with Neutral Bay second. The following are the scores:—

SYDNEY V. WAHGUNYAH.

Kidston and Chapman v. Hicks and Hicks, 6-3, 6-4.
Kidston and Chapman v. Doust and Wolstenholme, 6-3, 6-0.
Fox and Mackenzie v. Doust and Wolstenholme, 6-2, 6-3.
Fox and Mackenzie v. Hicks and Hicks, 3-6, 6-3.
Results: Sydney, 7 sets 45 games; Wahgunyah, 1 set 24 games.

NEUTRAL BAY V. ASHFIELD.

Thallon and Thallon v. King and Ruse, 6-0, 6-3.
Thallon and Thallon v. Deuchar and Ramsay, 6-2, 6-0.
Harman and Sadlington v. King and Ruse, 6-0, 6-3.
Harman and Saddington v. Deuchar and Ramsay, 6-4, 4-6.
Results: Neutral Bay, 7 sets 40 games; Ashfield, 1 set 18 games.

Cammeray B played a match against Victoria Park on Saturday, with the following result:—

VICTORIA PARK. CAMMERAY.

Perkins and Bates v. Brown and Doyle, 2-6, 2-6.
Perkins and Bates v. Wicks and Boyd, 6-3, 6-8.
Rogers and Fletcher v. Wicks and Boyd, 6-3, 6-0.
Rogers and Fletcher v. Brown and Doyle, 5-6, 6-5.
Results: Victoria Park, 5 sets 39 games; Cammeray, 3 sets 32 games.

The contest for the captaincy of the Manly Club was resumed on Saturday afternoon on the Manly courts, with the following result:—S. L. Ridge beat H. Smith, 6-4, 6-5. The final, between the winner in this round and O. B. Rawson, will be played on Saturday next.

NEWCASTLE, Monday.

The first of a series of lawn tennis matches between the University Club and various clubs in this district took place on Saturday in the Newcastle court. The University Club is represented by Messrs. W. B. Merewether, C. E. Flashman, A. H. Garnsey, and D. W. Gregson, with two emergencies, Messrs. T. G. Wilson and W. H. Harris. These gentlemen arrived by train last night, and were received by Messrs. C. J. Phillips, W. Howe, and A. E. Flashman. The Newcastle Club sent Messrs. W. Howe, A. E. Flashman, K. Sweetland, and C. J. Phillips to meet their opponents. Following are the results:—

UNIVERSITY V. NEWCASTLE.

Garnsey and C. E. Flashman v. Sweetland and Phillips, 6-5, 6-2.
Howe and A. E. Flashman, v. Garnsey and C. E. Flashman, 6-4, 6-3.
Merewether and Gregson v. Sweetland and Phillips, 6-3, 6-1.
Merewether and Gregson v. Howe and A. E. Flashman, 6-2, 5-6.

University won by 11 games.

### GOLF.

The third round of the matches for the captaincy of the Sydney Golf Club was played last Saturday on the Bondi links. The strong wind and the dry condition of the ground militated somewhat against light scoring, and made the putting very difficult. The following were the results:—H. M. Hamilton v. L. Dobbin: This match resulted in an unexpected victory on the last hole for Hamilton, who, however, deserved his success, as he showed great improvement all round in his play. J. Kent v. A. A. Hunt: Kent went straight away from the start with five up, and was never caught again, winning with five up and three to play. A. Loughnan v. R. H. L. Innes: Loughnan, who was playing in good form, made short work of his opponent, winning with eight up and six to play. J. W. Allen v. Herbert Allen: This match resulted in an easy victory for J. W. Allen with six up and four to play.

## LECTURE BY MR. MICHAEL DAVITT.

Mr. Michael Davitt delivered the first of his farewell lectures in the Town Hall, Paddington, last night. The subject of the address was "Glimpses of Old Ireland." There was a large attendance. Mr. J. T. Toohey, M.L.C., presided, and introduced the lecturer.

Mr. Michael Davitt, who received a warm welcome, said since he had the honour of meeting the friends of Ireland in this city events of considerable importance had occurred to the cause of Ireland in the old country. As they had learned, the enemies of Home Rule had come back to power for a period of time with what many people considered an overwhelming majority. But they would see that there were already elements of disintegration working within this so-called overwhelming and coalition Government. The Tories were finding fault, and he thought justly so, with the number of offices that Mr. Joseph Chamberlain had succeeded in obtaining for his friends and followers; and he thought they could rely—at least they could hope—upon this feeling of dissatisfaction widening and spreading until this coalition Government found itself weakened and ultimately driven from power. For his part, he renewed again the expression of his confidence that the near future was with the cause of Home Rule; and, notwithstanding the fact that Lord Salisbury and Mr. Chamberlain were now in power, they would be coerced by the overwhelming cause which Ireland had made out for Home Rule, and by political circumstances of the near future, either to satisfy Ireland's just demands or make way for a party willing to do so. What they required at home in order to hasten the day of Ireland's victory was union amongst their leaders and the ending of dissension in Ireland. (Cheers.) And he was not without hope but that they would learn in a short time that the wishes of the friends of Ireland in the Australian colonies in this respect would be carried out—that the Irish leaders and Irish people would be found again standing united and shoulder to shoulder struggling for the grand old cause. For his part, he would take home with him from these great colonies from the friends he had met everywhere a message to the people of Ireland expressive of their earnest desire that no time would be lost in the closing up of the ranks of the Home Rule movement in Ireland and Great Britain. (Cheers.) M. Davitt pointed out that one of his objects in selecting such a subject as "Glimpses of Old Ireland" for one of his discourses was to kindle, if he could, a taste for the study of Ireland's old civilisation, customs, institutions, and laws at a time when serious and, he was happy to say, successful efforts were being made in Ireland to revive a national interest in the literature and tastes and pastimes of their sturdy old ancestors. The lecturer then spoke of the battles fought 3300 years ago, and he dealt with the civilisation and settled government of ancient Erin, the classes of society, code of laws, the military forces, and the education and literature of old Ireland dating back 2000 and 3000 years ago. At the close a vote of thanks was accorded the lecturer.

## THE MONDAY POPULAR CONCERTS.

Mr. G. B. Douglas opened his series of Monday Popular Concerts at the Town Hall last night, when the attendance augured well for the future of the new musical enterprise. The old French proverb tells us "C'est le premier pas que coûte;" and from this point of view a good beginning was made at this first concert, when an acceptable popular programme was presented at a minimum tariff. The best feature in the new venture was, perhaps, the orchestra, for amateurs were quite unprepared for the well-balanced, cleverly handled little orchestra conducted by Signor G. Podenzana. It was not only in the overture to "Maritana"—with its strange setting of "Scenes that are Brightest," to which the composer imparts a stirring martial effect—that the band was so happily in evidence; but in other selections, and above all in the accompaniments, the players added largely to the enjoyment of the evening. Miss Colbourne Baber's charming version for soprano solo of the Delibes' "Polka Chantante" would have been impossible without the *pizzicato* effects with which the sylvia movement is more generally associated. The singer was heard to much advantage in this movement and was encored; and was encored again for her share with Miss Louie Galvin in Bluementhal's duet, "The Venetian Boat Song"—very often presented as a solo. Signor Podenzana also rendered possible the effective performance of the "Toreador Song" from "Carmen," by Mr. Edward Farley, for the baritone, who was encored, would be the first to admit the imperative necessity for orchestral support and colouring in this aria. Indeed, as amateurs will remember, Bizet brings in the mezzo-soprano heroine and the entire chorus, in the original operatic ensemble of the captivating refrain. Mr. Farley here proved in fine voice; but his interpretation of "Dio Possente" from "Faust," on the other hand, was unduly lugubrious.

M. Napoleon-Boffard introduced a genuine novelty—a vocal operatic fantasia on Gounod's "Faust." A blend of the principal aria of the first act of the immortal French opera with the duet from the garden scene—the tenor also generously singing little fragments of Margherita's part—is an unknown quantity in our concert-rooms. M. Napoleon-Boffard nevertheless achieved the success of a hearty encore, a fact which must be attributed to the telling quality of a light tenor voice—since we cannot account for it on any other ground. Miss Louie Galvin sang "It Was a Dream" in a key which drew largely upon the upper register of the organ. Miss Galvin should develop this part of her charming mezzo-soprano voice instead of essaying contralto music, for all her most telling effects are in the higher range. The young artist also did well in Van Lennop's "The King's Mere," though the character of the composition was too sombre for a popular audience. Mrs. S. R. Kennedy, a new singer, officially described as a mezzo-soprano, though the voice was somewhat light in quality, sang Moir's "Best of All" in a colourless way, and later was encored for "Three Fishers," to which she added, with good effect, "Pierrot." Mr. Hallewell's rendering of "For England's Sake" attracted little attention, partly because the basso did not enunciate the text with his usual distinctness, and more because Maud Valérie White's genius lies in the direction of love-songs marked by originality of expression. "For England's Sake" obviously demanded self-surrender to the long-established form of patriotic ballad, whereas the composer's individuality still obtruded itself, and the song had not the genuine ring which might have made it successful. However, Mr. Hallewell gave a fine rendering of "O Ruddier than the Cherry," for which he was deservedly encored. Mr. H. Weir, in addition to singing with sentiment Newton's "Ailsa Mine," joined with advantage to the ensemble in several concerted numbers; and during the evening Messrs. Harrison White and René Desjardins appeared as accompanists.

## THE EMPIRE THEATRE.

The Empire Company was strengthened last night by the return of Messrs. Frank York, Geo. A. Jones, Martyn Hagan, and Misses Lucy Fraser, Annette Bodin, and Ettie Williams, and the performance was received with increased enthusiasm.

## CHARITY ENTERTAINMENT.

Under the patronage of the Hon. G. H. Reid a variety entertainment, in aid of a charitable object, was given in the Burwood School of Arts last night. The building was crowded to excess. An excellent programme, arranged by Mr. S. H. Puckle, was presented. Among the contributors were Messrs. A. Bruce, A. Barker, E. Fauney, F. Glyn, Pickles, West, Jansen, Foley, Nicholls, and Misses Carr Glynn and Steenson, and Master Pickles. Mr. A. Glynn acted as stage manager, and Messrs. Jarish and A. Bince as accompanists.

## LECTURES.

### LADIES' SANITARY ASSOCIATION.

Dr. Roth delivered a lecture yesterday at the Town Hall under the auspices of the Ladies' Sanitary Association. Mrs. Pottie presided, and there was a large attendance. The subject of the lecture was "The Swedish System of Physical Training." The lecturer described the system carried out in Stockholm, which was styled a "free system," and in which very little of the apparatus used in gymnasiums in this country was employed. Here great muscular development was the object aimed at, while the Swedish system aimed more at the harmonious development of the body, which was more important. The lecturer was accorded a vote of thanks.

## MELBOURNE STUD SHEEP SALES.

### ADVANCE IN PRICES.

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(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENT.)

MELBOURNE, Monday.

Messrs. Powers, Rutherford, and Co. opened their twenty-eighth annual sale of stud sheep to-day, and disposed of a select catalogue of high-class merino rams from leading breeders of Tasmania and Victoria. The attendance was very large and the bidding spirited, especially for all good lots. Prices generally were regarded by the vendors as very satisfactory. They were not only far better than those realised last year, but were considerably in advance of those current in Sydney last month. The first draft was an exceptionally fine one, comprising 17 stud rams, bred by Mr. James Gibson, of Bellevue, Tasmania, 10 of which were sired by President, the grand champion ram of Tasmania this year, and the sire of the grand champion at Australasian Sheep Breeders' Association's show last week. Competition for these 10 was exceedingly spirited. No. 1, President, realised 300 guineas, at which price he was secured by Mr. Denby Hall for Messrs. Grant and Child, of Chah Sing, New South Wales. The next ram was secured by the Landsdown Pastoral Company, Limited, Queensland, for 80 guineas. For No. 2 President, Mr. H. F. De Little, of Caramut, gave 170 guineas. The Landsdown Pastoral Company then gave the top price of the series (310 guineas) for a magnificent ram. The 10 President rams averaged £108 13s, and the whole of the Bellevue draft averaged £81 16s 9d. The best draft included 32 rams on account of Mr. William Gibson and Sons, Scone (Tas.). One of these realised 160 guineas, three brought 100 guineas, one 60 guineas, one 55 guineas, and the whole lot averaged £36 18s 3d. Mr. W. H. Gibson's five stud rams sold up to 50 guineas, averaging £32 11s. Seven stud rams forwarded by Mr. Herbert Gatenby, of Tasmania, realised an average of £19 10s, selling up to 35 guineas. Mr. J. B. Gibson's four stud rams elicited keen competition, realising 130 guineas, 60 guineas, 40 guineas, and 10 guineas, and averaging £63. The Bellevue and Scone drafts of selected rams also caused spirited bidding. The former averaged £8 16s 2d for 18, and the latter averaged £8 5s 7d for 26.

## MINING INTELLIGENCE.

A good deal of business was transacted yesterday in the Mining market, and quotations were slightly firmer.

Sydney Stock Exchange.—The latest quotations were:—

| | Buyer. | Seller. | | Buyer. | Seller. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| COAL. | | | Band and Albion Consols | 9 | 9 8 |
| Hetton | 50 | 60 | Crœsus | 12 | 13 9 |
| Newcastle | 95 | — | Falkener's | 16 | 20 |
| Stockton | 4 3 | 5 | Garibaldi | 12 | — |
| V. of Clwydd | 4 | — | Hustler's Reef No. 1 | 7/6 | 8/ |
| Wallsend | 201 | — | Kapai - Vermont A | 7 | 8 6 |
| W. and B. Isl. | 10 3 | 10 9 | Ditto B | 7 6 | 9 3 |
| Ditto, new | — | 7 6 | Londonderry S. Extended | 1/10 | 3 |
| Ditto, pref. | 20 | — | Maritana | 17 3 | 17 6 |
| COPPER. | | | Mt. Drysdale Proprietary, con. | — | 1/6 |
| Great Cobar | 10 | 11 3 | Mount Gahan | 3 9 | 4 3 |
| Lake George United | 3 6 | 5 | Mt. Morgan | 51 | — |
| SILVER. | | | Mt. Lewisson | — | 5 4 |
| B. H. Prop. | — | 58 | Occidental | — | 2 9 |
| Block 10 | 55 | 55 6 | South Star | 18 | — |
| Block 14 | 10 9 | — | Sunlight | 4 4 | — |
| Central | 20 | 20 6 | | | |
| Junction | 16 | 16 9 | | | |
| Ditto North | 4 1 | 4 2 | | | |
| South | — | 13 | | | |
| Central Block | 3 | 4 | | | |
| GOLD. | | | | | |
| Brilliant | 9 | — | | | |

The following sales were reported:—Forenoon: B. H. Junction, 16s 7½d; Junction North, 4s 3d; Central Block, 4d, 4½d; Band and Albion Consols, 8s 10d. Noon: B. H. Junction, 16s 6d; Junction North, 4s 5½d, 4s 3d; Central Block, 5d, 5½d, 6d, 4½d; Hustler's Reef No. 1, 7s 8d. Afternoon: B. H. Block 10, 55s; Junction North, 4s 5d, 4s 3d; Central Block, 4d; Black Horse, 12s; Hustler's Reef No. 1, 7s 9d, 7s 10½d; Maritana, 17s 9d, 17s 6d.

[BY TELEGRAPH.]

(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENTS.)

THE WYALONG GOLDFIELD.

WEST WYALONG, Monday.

Gough's No. 2 battery is engaged on stone from Hilderbrand and party's and from Conway and party's claims. Clement's Golden Fleece stone was finished on Saturday evening, when 52 tons gave a return of 3oz. per ton. Perry and party expect to go in immediately with 200 tons from their Currajong claim. One ton of mineralised stone from Boll and party's claim, treated at Ballarat, yielded the handsome return of 21oz. 16dwt. The Red Flag tributors are now crushing at Cox's Huntingdon mill, and expect to finish in a couple of days. The White Reef tributors hope to finish up at Channon's battery on Friday. Ashcroft's battery is crushing stone from Dickson and party's claim, and some from Red Flag tributors.

Neeld and party, tributors, are now crushing 50 tons at West's battery, and expect to finish on Monday. Activity is being manifested in the erection of the Climo chlorination buildings, and good progress is already made.

ADELAIDE, Monday.

The Share market opened to-day with a fair demand for gold stocks, but prices show little change. Sales include—Proprietary, 36s 3d; Block 14, 10s 6d; British, New, 1s 11d; Junction, 15s 9d, 16s; South, paid, 12s 9d; Junction North, 4s 1d, 4s 4d, 4s 2½d; North, 4s 5d; Alma, 16s 11d; Eleanora, 5s 6d, 5s 9d; Crœsus Extended, 1s 11d; Block 45, 7s 6d, 7s 4½d; Norseman, 6s 7½d; Boulder Central, contributing, 5s 6d; Crœsus, 13s 7½d, 13s; Cosgroves, 7s 5d, 7s 6d; Coolgardie, 27s, 24s 3d, 23s 6d; Fortune of War, 4s 8d; Great Boulder, 96s; Golden Bar, 14s 9d; Ivanhoe, 23s 9d, 23s; Lake View, 24s; Londonderry South Extended, 2s 5d; Lady Mary, 9s 6d; Maritana, 17s 6d, 17s 3d; Tindals, paid, 12s 3d, 12s 6d; Victory, 6s 2d; Redcastle, paid, 4s 8d, 5s 1d, 4s 10½d—contributing, 4s, 4s 1d.

ALBURY, Monday.

A report from Bulgandra states that a crushing of 7 tons from the Pioneer claim yielded 20oz. gold.

CARCOAR, Saturday.

The mining prospects of this district are looking exceedingly well. A large amount of money, as a deposit, was paid in Carcoar yesterday by Mr. M. Eissler, the engineer and expert for the Anglo-Australian Exploration Company of London, for whom he purchased the Galley Swamp properties. A great many shareholders of the various claims came to receive the money. The claims at the Woodcutter's *Hill*, near the Mandurama Gold Trust Company's properties, are turning out first rate. At the Burnt Yards prospects appear very promising. There is a Sydney syndicate about purchasing the claims on this field. It is anticipated that if the sale comes off, and the company erect some powerful machinery, and go down about 100ft., they will strike some of the richest ground ever discovered in the colony.

CHARTERS TOWERS, Monday.

Saturday's sales were:—Imperial West, 9½d; Lady Florence, 2s 2½d (1000 sold); New Brilliant, 9s 9½d (900 sold); Warrior, 1s 7d; Brilliant Central, 9s 10½d, forward delivery; Day Dawn Freehold, 3s 3d; Sunburst, 18d; Queen Cross Reef, 11s 6d; Victoria West, 2s 8½d. To-day's sales were:—No. 3 Day Dawn, 1s 2½d; Imperial No. 2 West, 11½d; Lady Florence, 2s 3½d; Queen Cross Reef, 12s; Warrior, 2s (600 sold); Band of Hope, 11s; Brilliant Central, 9s 7d; Craven's Caledonia, 2s 8d; Millican's Caledonia, 10d; Victoria Block, 1s 10½d. At a meeting of the New Brilliant shareholders to-day the directors were empowered to borrow money on the best terms they could.

GYMPIE, Monday.

Mr. Thomas Smith reports:—Sales: Crown and Phœnix, 1s 0½d; Great Eastern No. 2 North, 9d, 9½d; Great Eastern No. 2 South, 1s 1½d, 1s 2d; Great New Zealand, 2s 2½d; No. 7 Lady Mary, 9½d; No. 7 Lady Mary Extended, 8d; No. 8 Lady Mary, 2s 5d; New Zealand Prospectors, 1s 4d; Phœnix Prospectors Tribute, 1s, 1s 1d; Phœnix No. 1 North, 10s 4d; Phœnix No. 1 South, 6s; Phœnix Larkin's Tribute, 1s 1d. To-night's quotations: Smithfield No. 1 North, seller 12s, buyer 11s; New Zealand Junction, seller 3s 6d, buyer 3s 3d; Columbia Smithfield, seller 10s 3d, buyer 10s 1d.

MACLEAN, Monday.

Some excitement was caused in town to-night by the arrival of the first gold escort that has ever come to Maclean. The gold was from the new find along the beach near Iluka. M'Aulay and party cleaned up on Saturday for 150oz., and Hammond 350oz. A later examination of the field shows that black cement containing gold starts from one point and gradually grows richer as it goes along, and then gradually runs out again.

MELBOURNE, Monday.

Silver companies had fair support to-day, and generally a moderate extent of business was transacted without much alteration in prices, but North Broken Hill were in much improved demand, and sold freely at 4s 8d and 4s 11d. Block 10 sold at 55s 6d; Junction, 16s 3d; South, 11s 9d and (paid) 12s 9d, 13s 3d; North Junction, 4s 4d, 4s 2d; Comet (Tasmania), 4s 6d. Western Australian gold companies had moderate business; the two stocks most dealt in of late closing lower, Crœsus selling at 13s 6d and 13s; and Maritana, 18s, 17s 3d. Tindals also were lower, receding from 12s 9d to 12s 4½d. Axiom sold up to 1s 7d; Coolgardie, 26s 9d; Great Boulder, 98s 6d. Bayley's Reward changed hands at 7s; South Ironclad, 1s 1d. Among Victorian gold companies those of the Rutherglen district were most prominent, a good demand being experienced and higher prices realised in the business done. Band and Albion Consols, 9s 9d, 9s 6d; Berry Consols, 98s; Berry Extended, 57s 6d, 58s 6d; West Berry Consols, 3s 10d, 4s 6d; South Star, 19s 9d, 20s 3d; Star of the East, 16s 6d, 17s; Chalk's Freehold, 17s 6d; Chalk's No. 3, 10s; Llanelly, 4s 9d, closing with buyer at the same; Central Windmill, 13s 10½d; Garibaldi, 12s 6d, 12s 9d; Hustler's Reef, 12s, and No. 1 at 7s 6d, 7s 9d; New Argus, 5s 10d; New Chum and Victoria, 8s; New Chum Railway, 29s 6d, 29s; New Prince of Wales, 24s; North Shamrock, 4s 1d; North Shenandoah, 10s 9d, 11s 3d; Old Chum, 6s; Pearl, 15s; Pioneer, 18s 6d; Shenandoah, 30s, 31s; Democrat (paid), 8s 3d; Great South Long Tunnel, 18s 6d; New Wyndham, 6s 6d, 6s 3d; South German Extended, 6s 6d, 7s 3d; Black Horse United, 11s 1d; Central Plateau, 4s 8d, 5s 3d, 4s 11d; Grand Duke, 1s 2d; Great Northern Extended Consols, 12s, 12s 3d, 12s; Great Southern No. 1, 7s 6d, 7s 6d, 8s 3d; Great Southern Consols, 4s 10½d; Great Southern and Chiltern Valley, 3s 10d, 4s 3d; Long Tunnel Extended, 73s; Madame Berry, 41s; M'Evoy, 2s 6d; New Kohinoor, 4s 6d, 4s 10d; New Mariner, 7s; North Prentice (paid), 40s; Prentice freehold, 44s.

MUDGEE, Saturday.

At Windeyer there is a gratifying activity in mining circles, and important developments may take place any day. The chief attraction is Leffley's claim on Gun Flat, the crushing from which has awakened considerable enthusiasm. The owners are busily engaged slabbing up the shafts, putting in levels, and otherwise making the ground secure against stormwaters, so that a downfall of rain will not interfere with operations. The Wandering Minstrel alongside is not being worked at present, owing to the want of funds. Further along Winters and party are getting out some very promising stone, in appearance every way identical with Leffley's. A lot is to go through the battery at once. To the south of the Golden Gate a five-acre block has been pegged out by Greig and party. The result of the prospect parcel has not been made known. The ten-acre block held by a Sydney company has been a scene of activity during the past few weeks, trenching, sinking, and other prospecting work having been energetically carried out. It has been decided to put down a main shaft to a depth of 200ft., and from this to work the property by levels. One claim is being worked to the north of the Flat, on the old Union line of reef, where previous history justifies the hope of a good find. At the Golden Star mine operations are progressing favourably. A tunnel is being put in to cut the main reef at the junction of the easterly dip, where good gold is anticipated. At the Jubilee matters are also promising. A crushing is going through the Invicta battery, which should go well, judging from appearances and prospects. The new company is shortly to take over this property. At the Mount Margaret, Limestone, preparations are being made for a vigorous start immediately. Alluvial mining around Gulgong is being followed with generally satisfactory results; but the Canadian miners are still hampered by want of water.

PAMBULA, Monday.

New finds are frequently being reported, at the Jingera, Burton, Schuback, and party being stated to be on very rich stone, showing gold as coarse as wheat freely. There has also been some consternation caused by one of the oldest claims, which was on good gold, with a small crushing ready on surface, being jumped. The jumpers will not receive much consideration at the hands of the local miners.

Tweedie and party, the tributors of the Great Victory mine, are on some good specimen stone on the Falkner lode. Pieces exhibited in town on Saturday showed gold plainly visible all over the stone. The main shaft is now sunk and well timbered for nearly 100ft., and a northerly drive has been commenced on the main lode. It was only at a distance of about 6ft. north of the shaft that this stone was discovered, but its extent will not be known until the workings have been further opened up.

TRUNKEY, Monday.

Sluicers are still waiting for water. To keep things going they have to use the trough and cradle. The reefing prospects are very encouraging. The Bathurst Mines, Limited, have had their battery going for their own, and also for public, stone continuously. Among the latter a crushing from Newbridge returned 1½oz. to the ton. Rincke and party's new reef yielded 1½oz. to the ton. Atkins and party's stone returned 1oz. to the ton. Grosvenor and party have also opened up a new reef on the Golden Point, showing gold freely. The country, however, is hard.

## LEADERS AND MISLEADERS IN OUR DAY.

### THE REV. JOSEPH COOK.

The Rev. Dr. Cook delivered his farewell address in Sydney at the Centenary Hall last evening, the title being "Leaders and Misleaders in our Day." The lecturer advanced the general scheme of his address in appropriate simile and imagery, foreshadowing all the dangers and difficulties that lie in the way of the selection of leaders in politics, social teaching, religion, thought. Taking as a central metaphor a ship left only to the guidance of her compass, *sans* stars, moon, or sun, and, finally, to the sounding lead, he likened the great crises in the affairs of States to the anxious feeling of the pilot as he put the question to himself, "Do we draw nigh to land?" Out of the fierce warring of democratic life, of national changes, of social reform, came this constant cry in many different forms, and often they were sore distressed to know who they were who had a right to lead. Carlyle was an advocate of the government of the many by the few, and it had to be admitted that there had been times in the history of the world when the government of the many by one had been justified. But the rule of the many had been accepted, and, as an American, he was prepared to abide by that rule, hoping for the larger day when the rule of all should be brought about, and when the rulers should have justified their privileges. But how were the nations, situated as they found themselves now, to find safe leaders? How were they to find out that they were fit leaders before they began to rule? It seemed as if there was necessary some sort of provisional test so that men could be weighed before actual power was placed in their hands? How could the test be applied? A free people needed to carry in one hand the lantern of Diogenes and in the other Ithuriel's spear when they went about the task of selection—flashing the lantern on all and sundry, so that it should light up the honest and dishonest, and show them side by side in vivid contrast, and carrying their spear of criticism as Ithuriel did when he touched the venomous toad whispering at the ear of Eve. He would have them apply to every candidate who sought their suffrages, no matter in what connection, precisely the same tests as they would apply to the same men when they came to estimate their private conduct. If a man were not true to his private family he would not be true to his public pledges, and they might assume that a man who did not manage honestly his own affairs would hardly be likely to conduct public affairs on any better principle. And they might fairly conjecture, too, that a man who had fair opportunities and had failed, would also fail in the business of the nation. John Bright had said that the great men of parties must be held responsible to the same laws as those applied to private people. There was only one Decalogue, and the great men and the small, the distinguished and insignificant, must abide by it. The world was verging on the twentieth century, and no doubt when that age was sealed an accomplished fact people would speak of the nineteenth as mediæval and antiquated. But a century was but the nominal division of time—the really important consideration for the people was to take wisdom from the days that had passed away. And were there not bright constellations fixed in the vault of time for all men to walk by? When he remembered a few of these names, he thought with irresistible conviction how God had sanctioned a programme for the world, sanctioned it by time, and repeated its great characteristics, so that the wisdom of His guidance should be clear to all. Of such names, did not Cicero and Hampden and Washington and Lincoln and a host of others in the bright galaxy of the immortals stand out as beacon signs to individuals and nations. Seneca said "Follow God," and that was the motto that every nation should adopt. He is defined as the safe public leader, the man who stood at the cutwater of progress and saw nothing but God. When they had to choose their public men let them try to find out a man's innermost soul and belief—the very essence of his soul—for a man's belief was his soul of soul. A man's reputation with his neighbours was an excellent test, and Mr. Moody, the famous evangelical preacher, made that an infallible test. There were many forces making for the deception of the people. What of journalism? How were they to get papers that did not misrepresent causes and men? He did not speak of Australian papers, nor of the best English and American. A newspaper editor was one of the hardest-worked of public servants, and was a force for good when he conducted his paper with regard for principle as well as for profit. Of course he knew that a newspaper had to pay its way; but, remembering that, opinion should always be of more account than profit. The lecturer then animadverted on the evils of Sunday journalism in America, and quoted Horace Greeley's remark, that "the Sunday newspaper was a social demon." Coming to the field of politics, Mr. Cook said that out of 10,000,000 voters in the United States it would be found that only about 4,000,000 were animated by active principles which dominated their votes. Out of the total, 2,000,000 would probably be absentees, the same number would be illiterate and unable to read and write, and another 2,000,000 be prepared to vote at the bidding of the forces of corruption. These forces were behind the liquor traffic, which the rev. lecturer denounced in the most vigorous terms, coupling it with the social vices of the day. Covering a wide field, the lecturer touched upon Theosophy, and he described Madame Blavatsky as a charlatan, and mentioned the tricks she had played on her dupes. In conclusion, he exhorted the young men of Australia to take heed in choosing their leaders, for the great problems which were gathering for solution in America would one day possibly present themselves here.

At the conclusion of the lecture Mr. Staples, secretary of the Psychical Research Society, rose to controvert the lecturer's remarks about Madame Blavatsky; but Mr. Cook referred him to books where the exposures, he stated, were set forth.

## MESSRS. JOHN HUNTER AND CO.'S ANNUAL PICNIC.

The employees of John Hunter's boot factory held their annual picnic yesterday. Several steamers, specially chartered, conveyed the excursionists, to the number of about 600, to Cabarita, where a committee had made arrangements for carrying out an excellent programme of sports. Cricket, football, dancing, running, and other amusements were indulged in. The Factory Handicap, which was run off in heats, was won by A. Golding, with T. Childs second and W. Bell third. At the dinner Mr. Charles Lenton, who presided, proposed "Success to the Firm of John Hunter." In the course of his remarks he referred to the kindly relations which had always existed between the firm and its employees. Mr. A. A. Hunter responded. Mr. John G. Leslie proposed the health of the manager, Mr. E. L. Wadley, who suitably replied. "The Day We Celebrate" was proposed by Mr. John O'Neill, and responded to by Mr. Connor. Other toasts were duly honoured. The visitors returned to town about 7 o'clock.

## MONETARY AND COMMERCIAL.

MONDAY EVENING.

The week's business in the Stock and Share market has opened with a good tone and a moderate amount of business. For New South Wales securities rather higher prices were offered. In Banks, Australian Joint Stock were quitted at the last price, and with buyer at close at the same figure. City Bank also rose slightly, selling at an advance. Bank of New South Wales were ½ dearer; and Union likewise hardened slightly. Deposits of the reconstructed banks remained about the same as last week. Steam shares were steady, North Coast being a trifle weaker. Insurance shares were steady. Australian Gaslight again rose ½. For Australian Brewery a slight advance was paid, and Tooth's Brewery and Perpetual Trustee each brought 3d over last week's prices. Melbourne Trams had a buyer at 6d rise.

On the Sydney Stock Exchange the following sales were reported:—At 1 o'clock: A.J.S. Bank, 40s; City Bank of Sydney, 88s; Australian Gas, 14½; Australian Brewery, 11s and 11s 1½d; Perpetual Trustee, 8s. At 4 o'clock: Bank of New South Wales, 30½; Tooth's Brewery, 17s 9d.

The closing quotations were:—

| Company. | Capital paid up. | Amount of Shares. | Shares, paid up. | Last div. per annum. | Last Sale. | Buyer. | Seller. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| FUNDED STOCK. | £ | £ | £ | p. c. | | | |
| N.S.W. Act 1892 | ... | | | | 107 | 105½ | 106½ |
| Ditto Act 1873 | ... | | | | | 105½ | |
| Ditto Debent'rs 1909 | ... | | | | | 108 | 111 |
| N.Z. Debentures 4 p.c., 1913 | ... | | | | 104½ | 103 | 106 |
| Colonial Sugar Deb. 5½, 1900 | ... | | | | 103½ | | |
| Do 1898 | ... | | | | 103 | | |
| Do 1897 | ... | | | | 102 | 101 | |
| Do 1901 | ... | | | | 104½ | 103 | |
| Mort's Dock, due 1896 | ... | | | | | 100 | |
| Mount Lyell 6 pc. due 1905 | ... | | | | 120 | | |
| BANKS. | | | | | | | |
| Australian J. S. | 1,156,648 | 10 | 7½ | 4 | 40/ | 40/ | 42/ |
| City | 240,000 | 10 | 8 | 5 | 88/ | 88 | |
| New Issue | 180,000 | 10 | 8 | | 80/ | 84 | 90 |
| Com. of Syd., A | 942,905 | 12½ | 12½ | 8 | 14½ | 14½ | |
| Ditto B | | 12½ | 10 | | 15½ | 15½ | |
| Nats. of Aust. | 1,474,055 | 10 | 6 | 2½ | 12 9 | | |
| Do. Preference | | 10 | 10 | 5 | | | |
| N. S. Wales | 1,885,548 | 20 | 20 | 9 | 30½ | 30½ | 30¾ |
| Ditto, New | | | | | 29½ | 30¼ | |
| Ditto, Rights | | | | | *42/6 | | |
| Q'land National | 778,000 | 8 | 5 | 3 | | | |
| Royal of Q'land | 300,000 | 9 | 4 | | | | |
| Union | 1,500,000 | 75 | 25 | 5 | 27½ | 27 | 28½ |
| Com. of Aust. | 1,616,054 | 10 | 6½ | | | | |
| Ditto, Prefer. | 2,106,780 | 10 | 10 | | 50/ | 34/ | |
| DEPOSITS. | | | | | | | |
| A.J.S. Bank, Negotiable | ... | | | | 16/ | 16/ | 16 3 |
| Ditto, due 1897 | ... | | | | 18 6 | | |
| Inscribed | ... | | | | 13 8 | | |
| Com. of Sydney | ... | | | | *20/ | 20 | |
| Q'land National | ... | | | | 15/ | 15/ | |
| North Q'land | ... | | | | 17 3 | | |
| E., S., and A. | ... | | | | 15 | 14 9 | 15/ |
| Ditto, Inscribed | ... | | | | 12 8 | 12 6 | 12 9 |
| Ditto, Debent'res | ... | | | | 15 9 | 15/9 | 16 |
| Ditto, Term'ble | ... | | | | 18 6 | 18 6 | 18 9 |
| Com. of A., 1898 | ... | | | | 17/3 | | 17/9 |
| Nat. of Aust. | ... | | | | 17 9 | | |
| STEAM. | | | | | | | |
| Balmain Ferry | 29,250 | 12 6 | 7 6 | | 10d | | |
| Hunter and H.R. | 100,000 | 1 | 1 | 5 | 13/3 | | 13 6 |
| North Coast | 121,743 | 1 | 17 6 | 6 | 10 9 | 12 | 14 |
| Illawarra | 58,096 | 5 | 3½ | 7½ | 85 | 80 | 90 |
| N. S. Ferry | 60,000 | 1 | 1 | 10 | 37 9 | 37 6 | 40 |
| Port Jackson | 40,800 | 5 | 10 9 | | 1 6 | | 1 |
| INSURANCE. | | | | | | | |
| A. M. Fire | 25,000 | 1 | 5 | 2½ | 16 6 | 16 3 | 17 6 |
| City M. Fire | 15,000 | 1 | 2 | 10 | 12 4 | 2 | 2 1 |
| Merc. Mut. | 18,750 | 1 | 2 6 | 23½ | 6 9 | 6 3 | |
| N. Zealand | 200,000 | 10 | 2 | 15 | | 64/ | |
| United | 62,500 | 10 | 2½ | 12½ | 71 6 | 70 | |
| Ditto, New | 5,725 | 10 | 12 6 | 12½ | 16 | | |
| GAS. | | | | | | | |
| Australian | 681,798 | 6 | 6 | 9/ | 14½ | 14½ | 14¾ |
| City of Goulburn | 10,000 | 1 | 1 | 15 | 37 6 | 37 | 40/ |
| North Shore | 82,527 | 1 | 1 | 6 | 20 6 | 20 6 | |
| Manly | ... | | | 7 | 20 | | 20/ |
| Grafton | ... | | | | | | |
| BREWERIES. | | | | | | | |
| Australian | 96,000 | 1 | 1 | 5 | 11 1½ | 11 | |
| Castlemaine and Wood Bros. | 250,000 | 1 | | 7 | 18 3 | | 18 6 |
| Marshall's | 93,750 | 1 | 15 | | 1/3 | 1/ | 2/ |
| Perkins's | 58,333 | 15 | 15 | 10 | 13 | 11 | |
| Tooth's | 800,000 | 1 | | 7 | 17 9 | 17 6 | 17 9 |
| MISCELLANEOUS. | | | | | | | |
| Anvers' | 17,500 | 15 | 10 | 5 | 4 3 | 3 9 | 4 6 |
| Colonial Sugar | 1,626,266 | 20 | 20 | 10 | 22 | 22 | 22½ |
| Ditto, £10 paid | 1,870 | 20 | 10 | | 15½ | | |
| Dalgety and Co. | 1,000,000 | 20 | 5 | 8 | 88 6 | | |
| Ice Gravel | 34,000 | 1 | 1 | 2½ | | | |
| Castle Tobacco | 71,500 | 15 | 15 | | 3 10 | 3 6 | 4/ |
| Hudson Bros. | 150,000 | 10 | 10 | | | | 5 |
| Brandson and Wrench | | | | | | | |
| Kale and Oil | 60,000 | 1 | 1 | 5 | 7 6 | | 7 6 |
| M. Exchange | 69,250 | 1 | 13 3 | 6½ | 4 3 | 4 | 4 6 |
| M. Hydr'lic | 30,000 | 10 | 10 | 8 | 16½ | | 17 |
| Melbourne Tr'm | 75,000 | 1 | 1 | 6 | 15/ | 15 3 | 15 9 |
| N. Tram | 400,000 | 1 | 1 | 5 | 13 3 | 13 | |
| N. Tram | 197,806 | 5 | 1 | 20 | 79 3 | | |
| N.S.W. Supply | 186,500 | 1 | 1 | 7½ | 9 9 | 8 9 | |
| PERMANENT AND TRUSTEE. | | | | | | | |
| Perp. Trust. | 70,073 | 1 | 1 | 10 | 26 3 | 26 6 | |
| Ditto New | | | | | | | |
| Perm. Trustee | 25,000 | 5 | 2 6 | | 2 3 | 2/ | 2/2 |
| Perpet. Trustee | 25,000 | 10 | 5 | 6 | 8 | 7 9 | 8 3 |
| Land & B'ld'g | | | | | | | |
| Industrial Prov. | 113,522 | 20 | 20 | 7 | 14½ | | |
| Ind. Sub. | 97,033 | 1 | | | | | |
| Ind. Sub. Dep. | | | | | | | |
| Freehold | 18,750 | 1 | 2 6 | 11 | *11 | 8/6 | 10 |

* Due 1st November, 1895. † And interest. ‡ Cum div.

The *Statist*, which had so much to do with alarming the English creditors of colonial banks by the publication of statistics prior to the bank panic, and has since continued the policy of keeping alive a disturbed feeling regarding these banks, urged the depositors of the City of Melbourne Bank to accept the lessons of experience and to allow the bank to go into liquidation. It is said "the bank failed just two years and two months ago. Within that brief space of time it has been compelled to apply for a winding-up order. Is there a stronger proof possible that the bank cannot live, that it has lost all credit, and that therefore the attempt to spin out a useless existence must fail?" No doubt, since Mr. Loader, the chairman, went to England, and it became evident that there would be opposition such as that which the *Statist* offers, the fate of the bank was sealed. The credit of no bank could stand such treatment. But if the journal had fairly recognised what had been done by the bank, and the exceptional conditions of the world, a different line of criticism would have been adopted. Since the bank panic the American business world has gone through a period of disturbance which has had more effect in depressing prices and depreciating Australian securities than even the Australian troubles themselves. With prices of commodities pressed down within two years by 25 per cent., and the deposit rate reduced from 4½ per cent. to 3 per cent. since the reconstruction, how in reason could it be said that the City of Melbourne Bank, because it could not continue to pay 4½ per cent., had proved its unsoundness? We are asked, "Would the depositors not have been better off now if they had accepted even 10s in the £ 12 months ago, and been in a position to employ that 10s in the £, and turn it over again and again?" Had the depositors obtained 10s in the £ a year back, instead of being able to turn it over again and again they could have obtained very little for it —not more than 3 per cent. for the best class of similar security. No one would say that 3 per cent. on £500 is as much as 4½ per cent. on £1000—that £15 is as much as £45, which the depositors have had. Realisation 12 months ago would not have been achieved so well as at present. Having committed itself to the pulling-down process, the *Statist* is apparently determined not to end until it has done as much mischief as possible, for it now suggests that all the reconstructed banks should be "put into liquidation." But for such criticism as this the reconstructed banks would hold their position better than they have done. The restoration of confidence in the United States and the general improvement in trade throughout the world by raising prices and increasing the values of properties and bank assets will, however, do much to neutralise the effects of criticism so far as the interest of English depositors, or of Australian bank shareholders and depositors, and of Australia generally. Even English depositors, whose interests may be supposed to justify foreign criticism, have protested against the prejudice which the *Statist* has done them.

The fifth annual report of Goodlet and Smith, Limited, to 30th June bears testimony to the depression that had existed in the building trades. With only a moderate increase in the city population, the building requirements are necessarily more restricted than in former times. There had also been competition, reduced prices, and curtailed business. Cement works at Granville had been started, the machinery was working satisfactorily, and it is said that the company is producing a cement equal to any of the English cements. The potteries and terra cotta works have been doing well during the year, and increased business was anticipated. The profit and loss account showed a debit balance for the year of £4920, besides £991 amount paid Government for disputed back rent.

By the Orient (s.) to-day, for London, the Bank of New South Wales shipped £50,000, and the Orient Company £5000.

The *Journal of the Institute of Bankers of New South Wales* for August contains a full list of interesting articles on banking and currency matters.

It may be interesting to note the decline in the earning power of money invested in the principal classes of securities at 30th June, 1882, and at the present time. At the earlier date the *Investors' Monthly Manual* said:—"It is seldom that cheaper money and lower prices are concurrently to be reported." That remark might have been repeated with even greater force in June last. The alterations in the prices of two or three representative stocks of each class within that time have been as follows:—

| Securities. | June 30, 1882. Price. | Yield to Investor. | June 30, 1895. Price. | Yield to Investor. | Reduction in Int. p. c. |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| | £ | £ s. d. | £ | £ s. d. | |
| Consols, 2¾ p. c. | 80¼ | 3 9 6 | 105½ | 1 17 9 | 45·6 |
| Goschen's | ... | ... | 107¼ | 2 5 5 | 25·0 |
| N.S.W. 4 p. c. | 103¾ | 3 17 6 | 108½ | 3 9 3 | 10·7 |
| N.S.W. 3½ p. c. | ... | ... | 108¾ | 3 2 3 | 19·6 |
| Victorian 4 p. c. | 108¼ | 4 2 8 | 104 | 3 13 9 | 10·6 |
| Victorian 3½ | ... | ... | 102 | 3 9 9 | 15·6 |
| Bank of Engl'd | 285 | 3 10 2 | 340 | 2 9 3 | 29·8 |
| London and Westminster | 69 | 5 4 4 | 84 | 3 14 0 | 29·5 |
| Bank of N.S.W. | 64 | 5 9 4 | 39 | 4 12 3 | 15·5 |
| Union of Aust. | 64 | 5 9 4 | 37 | 4 1 0 | 25·1 |
| Liv. and Lond. and Globe Ins. | 21 | 4 14 8 | 48½ | 3 3 0 | 30·2 |
| Comm. Union | 21 | 4 15 4 | 35½ | 3 10 6 | 26·0 |
| London Gaslight and Coke | 170 | 6 9 6 | 282 | 4 5 9 | 33·8 |
| Comm. Gas | 190 | 6 6 9 | 292 | 4 11 9 | 27·2 |

These figures show the very great rise in prices of representative investment stocks on the London Stock Exchange within 13 years, and the consequent reduction in the rate of interest yielded to the investor. British 2¾ per cents have fallen exceptionally, not being a particularly favoured stock in 1882, but the most popular at present, and, assuming they should be redeemed at par in 1905, they only yield the investor £1 17s 9d per cent. per annum, being equal to a fall of 45 per cent. The price of the mass of English consols has risen so much that the interest yielded by them has fallen from about 3 per cent. to £2 5s 3d per cent. per annum, equal to a reduction of about 25 per cent. The best New South Wales securities in June, 1895, yielded the investor £3 2s 3d, as compared with £3 17s 6d in 1882, a considerable fall, equal to 19·6 per cent, but not so great as that of consols. The decline in the interest earned on the market price of bank shares on the basis of the two last dividends has been very marked, averaging in amount more than 1 per cent., and in proportion more than 25 per cent. Insurance and Gas Company stocks have risen in public estimation very greatly, rather more indeed than in the case of banks, with the result that they yield the investors interest on the market, reduced proportionately by an average of about 30 per cent.

### IMPORT MARKET.

Pending the announcements regarding the tariff to be made to-morrow, business was light, especially in dutiable goods likely to be effected. The arrival of the Taiyuan with 1,918,000lb. of tea for this market, caused considerable activity among the tea-men with their musters, but little actual business transpired. As indicated on Saturday, the auction of teas out of this vessel will not be held until the middle of next week. In breadstuffs business was almost at a standstill. Sugars sold well at late rates throughout. Very little transpired in metals, while oils, jute goods, and chemicals were all correspondingly devoid of animation. Geneva ruled firm at the advanced rates, but other descriptions of spirits showed no alteration in values.

What little wheat the city millers require for their immediate requirements is being purchased from the Southern colonies, but these operations are being made as sparingly as possible. In the country the rate being paid for wheat is still higher than that at which Victorian and South Australian grain is offering. Flour also showed no change. Pending the settlement of the tariff the city millers are labouring under this disadvantage, that while intercolonial brands are being offered at 10s to 15s below current rates for forward delivery—the purchaser to pay the duty should it still remain on—millers here cannot offer such terms, or at any rate feel disinclined to do so. The association prices are unaltered at £8 10s for best roller.

The tea market was again quiet, in so far as few transactions occurred, but both importers and brokers were busy with the new teas just arrived in the Taiyuan. In all there are 1,918,000lb. The cost of these teas is said to be generally dearer than that of previous shipments, and while the finer classes are exceptionally good, the commoner teas are considered by some buyers to be not quite up to the mark for the price. The first of the Taiyuan series of sales will be held by Messrs. Fraser and Co., at the City Mart, on Wednesday, 4th September, when catalogues comprising some 12,000 packages will be submitted on account of Messrs. Parbury, Henty, and Co., R. T. Remington, Brown and Co., Matthew Mitchell, and Fraser, Ramsay, and Co. Included in these catalogues are some really good first crop Congous and very little of inferior quality. To-day the inquiry evinced was on the most limited scale. Among the sales noted were 35 chests of Indian pekoe at 8½d and 15 chests of pekoe souchong at 7d. To-morrow (Tuesday), as already noted in these columns, Messrs. Harris and Ackman will hold a sale of about 500 packages of Ceylons without reserve, and on the following day a sale of over 2000 packages of China, Indian, and Ceylon teas, on account of Messrs. Parbury, Henty, and Co., and Fraser, Ramsay, and Co. Regarding the Foochow market, Messrs. Bathgate and Co. write on the 3rd August:—"Since our last report only a small daily business in congous has been transacted at firm rates. First crop Panyongs and Paklums at under 20 taels short are entirely cleared off the market. A few finest Paklums and about 20,000 half-chests fine Panyongs are held for full prices. Common Congous are dear and neglected. Scented teas: A fair business is passing at rather easier rates. The total export to date for this season, inclusive of the Taiyuan, amount to 3,315,513lb. for Sydney, against 2,871,133 in 1894-95 and 3,144,175 in 1893-94, and 3,800,304lb. for Melbourne, against 3,918,472 last season and 3,683,024 during the previous season. The total shipments for all Australasian ports to date this season aggregate 7,428,228lb., as compared with 7,172,386 in 1894-95, and 7,515,313 in 1893-94."

Good sales of sugar continue to be made at up to £21 for best dry white. At this figure 130 tons of Macknade, ex Aramac, were placed for a contract. Fairymead finds buyers at from £20 to £20 15s, and further shipments are advised. Owing to the accident to the Ranelagh, there are no Millaquin, Yengarie, or Wongarra sugars on the market. By this vessel a large quantity of these sugars, and also of Windsor was to have come forward. These, however, will be transhipped in the Birksgate, which leaves to-morrow (Tuesday) at noon for Sydney. As far as can be ascertained only about 300 bags of Millaquin and Yengarie have been damaged.

In groceries but little transpired, but later in the week it is expected that orders for the "first" will be received. Messrs. Fraser and Co. have sold 100 cases of a well-known brand of condensed milk, landed slightly damaged ex Orient, at 17s 6d per case, a figure that closely approaches full rates. For some time past the demand for this article has been very good. Ten cases of druggists' goods were also sold at good rates. A line of Karluk salmon was placed privately at 5s 11d.

As the weather becomes warmer the demand for malt liquors increases. All the leading brands to-day met with a very good inquiry at late rates. In spirits the only line in which any movement was apparent was geneva, 15-bottle being firm at 9s 6d.

A quiet demand for jute goods continued to be felt without much change in prices. Sales of cornsacks were noted at 4s 4½d. Woolpacks at 1s 6d, and branbags at 3s 7½d, a slight decline on late rates.

There was a little business in kerosene at late quotations, but the market is still extremely dull. For lines, oil is quoted at 8½d in bond, with a shade lower for export. Other oils showed no appreciable alteration. 25 cases of castor changed hands at 2s 3d. Two tons of Champion's genuine white lead at £27 5s in 28's, and £26 10s in cwts., for delivery in a month's time. Red lead was quoted at £22. Blundell Spence and Co.'s linseed oil was quiet at 2s 6d and 2s 8d for raw and boiled respectively; other brands being about 2d lower.

In chemicals, business was quiet; a small sale of rosin, G grade, being noted at £7 5s.

The Customs revenue received at Sydney to-day amounted to £10,344. The principal items were:—

Spirits, £1883; wine, still, £47; wine sparkling, £14; ale, porter, and beer, in bottles, £111; tobacco and snuff, £491; tobacco, for manufacturing purposes only, £96; cigars, £90; cigarettes, £87; sugar, unrefined, £301; sugar, molasses, £16; opium, £47; rice, £49; dried fruits, £992. Specific duties: Advertising matter, £18; bolts, spikes, nuts, &c., £30; candles, £71; cement, £258; cheese, £30; confectionery, £39; fish, dried, preserved, or salt, £10; fruits, bottled, &c., £14; fruits, green, £56; galvanised iron, £244; glucose, solid, £50; hay and chaff, £41; pig iron, £11; methylated spirit, £10; milk, preserved, £22; oil, kerosene, £150; oils, other, £98; paints and colours in oil, £40; paper, brown, £30; potatoes, £328; salt, £186; timber, undressed, £113; tinctures over £75 per cent., £13; vegetables, fresh, £16. Ad valorem: 10 per cent., £1741; 15 per cent., £868. Harbour and light rates, £132; pilotage, Sydney, £141. Colonial distilled spirits, £116; excise on tobacco, £1200; excise on cigars and cigarettes, £250; excise on beer, £340. Total, £10,344.

### EXPORT MARKET.

At Darling Harbour to-day 1839 bales of wool was manifested, 2045 arrived coastwise, and 310 bales were received by rail at Newcastle on Saturday.

Dalgety and Company, Limited, report the receipt of the following cable from their London office, dated 24th August:—"The wool market is very firm."

### COMMERCIAL TELEGRAMS.

(FROM OUR CORRESPONDENTS.)

ADELAIDE, Monday.

More business is reported in the breadstuffs market, transactions chiefly passing in second-grade wheat, f.a.q. sample being scarce. Shipping parcels were quoted at 3s at the outports and 3s 1d at Port Adelaide f.o.b. Millers' trade is passing on the basis of 2s 11d to 3s on trucks. Only a small business is reported in flour. Prices are steady at £6 10s to £6 15s; country, £7 5s. Best brands of bran and pollard are in fair demand at 8½d. A small retail trade has been passing in colonial oats at 1s 6d. The import markets opened quietly for the week. Several vessels have arrived, increasing the stocks of merchandise all round. Cornsacks are worth 4s 3d to 4s 4d for immediate delivery. Nothing is doing ahead of branbags, which are in good supply. Their value on the spot is 3s 4d to 3s 5d.

MELBOURNE, Monday.

Wheat is weaker without business. Quotations are nominal. 300 bags prime barley sold at 3s. Good feed Algerian oats sold at 1s 5d. Maize is dull at 2s 1d; peas, 2s 4d to 2s 4½d; chaff, £2 17s 6d to £3; prime potatoes, 22s 6d; onions, 45s, 47s 6d. Fifty tons Fairymead white sugar sold at £22 to £22 5s. A small lot of Queensland yellow crystals sold at £20. Sales of tea are—250 half-chests common congou, 120 packages Ceylon, 7d; 50 packages medium Indian sultanas sold at 5½d. Mildura peaches, 7d. 100 cases quarter sardines were sold to arrive. Considerable business was done in woolpacks at 1s 9½d, duty paid. Cornsacks on spot, 4s 4½d. No. 8 fencing wire was sold to arrive.

There was a good attendance on the Stock Exchange, and a considerable volume of business was transacted, which was spread over a large number of companies. There was not much change in the market value of investment stocks, but rather lower prices for Commercial Bank preference shares and Trustees, Executors, and Agency. The principal sales were: Metropolitan Board of Works, 4½ percents, 12 years, £107; Commercial Bank preference, 36s; Commercial Bank deposit receipts, 17s 7d; National Bank ditto, 18s; Trustees, Executors, and Agency, 6s, 7s; Melbourne Hydraulic, 18s, and paid, 36s 6d; Silverton Tramway, 79s; Sydney Hydraulic, 15s 6d; Tarrawingee Flux, 16s 9d; Melbourne Tramway, 13s 7½d.

### PRODUCE INWARDS.

ADELAIDE, Monday.

The steamer Clitus arrived at Port Adelaide to-day from Calcutta with the following Sydney cargo:—2590 bales gunnies, 51 coils coir rope, 277 bags rice, 64 packages 1494 chests and 106 half-chests tea, 1506 drums and 49 casks linseed oil, 852 drums and 1178 cases castor oil, with a quantity of sundries.

The steamer Time sailed for Sydney on Saturday with 7911 bags chaff, 502 bags 80 half-bags 520 quarter-bags and 530 packages flour, and 150 bags gypsum, and sundries.

### THE PRODUCE MARKET.—MONDAY.

TRADE IN SUSSEX-STREET.

A fair amount of business was passing in the produce trade along Sussex-street notwithstanding that this week is the last in the month. Business at auction was brisk. All lines under offer met with ready sale. Prices were firm except in the case of potatoes. In the feed-grains market maize was in better demand, and the market had a firmer feeling, but not quotably so. There were numerous inquiries for maize, one reason no doubt being the very light deliveries coastwise since Saturday. Oats were firm and moving off steadily. Both bran and pollard were rather quiet at late rates. There was a good demand for both local and imported chaff. The Elingamite (s.), due this evening, is advised as leaving Melbourne with 15,000 bags chaff. The demand for lucerne hay was fairly good. About 80 bales arrived from the Hunter River to-day. Oaten hay had good inquiry, but straw was dull of sale. Fresh shipments of potatoes arrived by the Pukaki (s.) and Ouraka (s.), and agents were glad to quit at lower rates. Prime Circulars were quoted at £2 5s per ton. Turnips sold fairly well at slightly reduced prices. Business in dairy products was only moderate. Eggs were very plentiful, and prices a shade easier. Butter and cheese sold well, but bacon was rather quiet.

FEED-GRAINS MARKET.

There was a better inquiry for maize to-day, and the market had a healthier feeling. Since Saturday only 1300 bags arrived coastwise.

The following are the quotations:—

Maize.—Better demand. Prime River maize quoted at 2s to 2s 1d per bushel.

Oats.—Very firm. Best feed, 2s 3d per bushel.

Cape Barley.—Nominally 2s 2d per bushel.

Peas.—Blue, inferior, 2s 9d; prime, 3s 3d per bushel.

Chickwheat.—Very scarce. Good inquiry. Best whole samples, 3s 3d to 3s 3½d; screenings, 2s 7d to 2s 8d per bushel.

BREADSTUFFS.

The associated millers have fixed the price of their best rolled flour at £8 10s per ton. For outside brands the market stands at a shade lower figures. Wheat is nominally worth 3s 6d per bushel.

BRAN AND POLLARD.

Both bran and pollard were in quiet demand at quotations. Bran was quoted at 8¼d, and pollard at 8½d per bushel.

FORAGE MARKET.

The current quotations are:—

Chaff.—Fair supplies. Good demand. Victorian: Good quality, £3 15s; prime, £3 17s 6d to £4. Adelaide: Prime, £4 to £4 5s. Local: Prime, £4 to £4 5s; extra prime, £4 10s; good medium, from £3 15s; inferior, from £3 per ton.

Hay.—Good demand for prime. Local oaten in bundles: Prime, £4 15s to £5; medium, from £4 to £4 5s per ton.

Straw.—Quiet demand. Local derrick-pressed, £2 5s to £2 10s; inferior, £2; bundled, £2 10s; medium, £2 5s per ton.

Lucerne.—Fair demand; fair supply. Hunter River: Prime green, £4 to £4 5s; prime brown hay, £3 10s to £3 12s 6d; inferior, £3. Railway: Inferior, £3; medium, £3 10s to £3 15s; prime green, £4 to £4 5s per ton.

POTATO MARKET.

Potatoes.—Heavy supply. Moderate demand. The current quotations are:—Circulars: Prime, £2 5s per ton.

MISCELLANEOUS.

Onions.—Prime, £3 15s per ton.

Honey.—Garden honey, 3d; bush honey, 2d to 2½d per lb.

Beeswax.—Dark, 9d; good bright, 10d to 10½d; choice, 1s per lb.

Lard.—Scarce. Finely rendered, in bladders, 4d; bulk, 3½d per lb.

Turnips.—Fair demand. £3 10s per ton.

DAIRY PRODUCTS.

To-day's closing quotations were:—

Butter.—Firm. Good demand. Good supply. Creamery, 15½d; factory, 15d; dairy, 12d to 13d; Berrima creamery 15½d, factory 15d; South Coast and West Camden creamery 15½d, factory 15d per lb.

Eggs.—Heavy supply. Good demand; 7d to 7½d per dozen.

Bacon and Hams.—Fair supply. Moderate demand. Hand-cured, 4½d to 5d; machine, 4d to 4½d; farmers' hams in cloth 7d to 8d per lb.

Cheese.—Scarce supply. Good demand; 5d; choice brands, 5½d per lb.

Poultry.—Good supply. Moderate demand. Fowls, 2s to 2s 6d; prime, 3s; young roosters, 2s 9d; ducks, good, 2s 6d to 3s; geese, 4s to 4s 6d; turkeys, cocks 6s to 8s, hens 4s to 5s per pair.

WOOD SALES.

At the Darling Harbour wood sales to-day business was dull; there was a good supply offered. Closing quotations were: Foot wood, inferior, 4s 6d to 6s 6d; good, 8s to 9s 6d; bundled, 7s to 9s; bakers' large, 9s to 6s; split, 6s to 7s; billet, 5s to 7s; bark, 6s per ton.

REDFERN SALES.

At the Redfern Terminus Produce markets this morning only a moderate supply of forage was offered at auction for a Monday's market. There was a good attendance of buyers, and business was brisk. The quantity of produce manifested to arrive was rather light. Chaff was in brisk request. Prime quality sold at 4s to 4s 3d; medium at 3s 9d, and off quality at 3s 1d. Extra prime chaff realised 4s 6d, and good wheaten straw chaff 2s 9d to 3s 10d per cwt. Owing to scarcity fairly good quality oaten hay brought up to 5s 1d per cwt. Derrick-pressed straw was dull of sale at 2s 3d per cwt. Prime lucerne was knocked down at 4s 3d, medium at from 3s 6d, and inferior at 3s per cwt. Prime maize found a buyer at 2s 2d; and bran at 8½d per bushel. A truckload of second-grade milling wheat found purchasers at 3s 4d per bushel.

Appended are the proportions of the various descriptions actually submitted at to-day's sale:—Chaff, 25; hay, 2; straw, derrick-pressed, 4; wheat, 1; bran, 1; maize, 1; and lucerne, 8.

The number of trucks manifested this morning was 24, being apportioned as follows:—Chaff, 15; hay, 6; straw, 2; and oats, 106 bags.

Among the consignees were:—Messrs. Ellis and Co., Robert Little and Co., Deat and Perry, Hill, Clark, and Co., J. Bridge and Co., Heaton Brothers, H. M. Suttor and Co., Inglis and Son, H. Prescott and Co., John W. Gray and Co., G. Wells, Robert Robinson, Son, and Co., and Harrison, Jones, and Devlin.

The above supplies were disposed of as follow:—

Chaff.—From Watterson, Lime Siding, (truck No. 1344) 3s 9d; Thompson, Cootamundra, (2967) passed; Ewan, Cowra, (5580) 3s 11d; Evans, Grong Grong, (3548) 4s 3d; Wright, Heaton, and Co., Jerilderie, (1216) passed; Sweetman, George's Plains, (1092) 3s 7d; J. Pratley, Bathurst, (492) 3s 8d and (2725) 3s 7d; Milne, Marrar, (8335) 2s 10d, (1171 and 1809) 3s 9d, (8713) passed; Holt, Nubba, (8609) 4s; Healey, George's Plains, (4309) passed; Parr, Carrathool, (10,086) 4s 2d; Ryan, Binalong, (9754) 3s 9d and 3s 1d; Hackett, Perth, (9122) 3s 11d; Sullivan, Kelso, (6147) 3s 11d; Murphy, (5808) 3s 3d; M'Kibbon, Brewongle, (10025) 3s 1d; Rolfe, Queanbeyan, (7340) 4s; Barnes and Stinson, Coolaman, (5916) 4s 8d; M'Alister, Jerilderie, (3842) 3s 7d; Buchanan, Nubba, (8355) passed; and Cox, Marrar, (2156) 4s 3d per cwt.

Hay.—From Maley, Blayney, (5570) 4s 6d; and Nosworth, Goulburn, (7276) 5s 1d per cwt.

Lucerne.—From Gardiner, Wellington, (10700) 3s 6d; Maher, West Maitland, (2632) 3s; Beattie, Singleton, (1698) 3s 11d; Bartlett, West Maitland, (2732) 4s 3d; Wilson, Wellington, (10057) 3s 3d; West Brewongle, (8304) 4s; and Palmer, Bathurst, (9941) 4s 3d per cwt.

Straw.—Derrick-pressed: From Markwell, Dripstone, 2s 3d per cwt.; Treffle Brothers, Temora, (6008 and 1598) 2s 3d per cwt.; Treffle Brothers, Temora, (2932) passed; Purseglove, Wellington, (6074) passed.

Wheat.—From Booth Brothers, Bomen, (4062) 3s 4d per bushel.

Bran.—From Wright, Heaton, and Co., Mudgee, (2899) 8½d per bushel, and pollard passed.

Maize.—From Smith, Camden, (2977) 2s 2d per bushel.

FRUIT MARKETS.

There was a fair amount of business passing in the fruit trade at the various metropolitan fruit markets this morning. At the Bathurst-street Exchange apples met with fair demand at about late rates. Choice Scarlets, owing to scarcity, sold at slightly improved prices. The warmer weather greatly assisted the sale of citrus fruits. Oranges were in better request, but values were without alteration. Mandarins had good sale at quotations. Lemons sold well at from 3s to 6s per gin-case. Bananas were in brisk demand at slightly firmer prices. The Aramac (s.) arrived yesterday from Queensland with 2250 bunches. Passion fruit had good sale at higher prices. Pines were hard to quit at 4s to 5s per case.

The current quotations are:—

Apples.—Good supply. Fair demand. Hobart: French Crabs, choice 5s 6d, small 3s 6d, ripe 4s; Scarlets, small 4s, medium 5s, choice 7s to 8s; New York Pippins, small 5s, choice 6s; Sturmers, choice 4s 6d to 5s, medium 4s; Stone Pippins, 4s to 4s 6d; Crow Eggs, 4s, choice 4s 6d; other inferior sorts, 3s to 3s 6d per case.

Lemons.—Small, 3s to 3s 6d; good, 4s to 5s; choice, 6s per gin-case.

Pineapples.—Dull. 4s to 5s; choice Queens, 6s to 7s per case.

Bananas.—Moderate supply. Good demand. Fair quality, 1s to 2s; good, 2s 6d to 3s; extra choice, 3s 6d per bunch.

Coconuts.—5s per bag.

Passion Fruit.—Choice, 8s to 9s; medium, 4s 6d to 6s; inferior, from 2s 6d per gin-case.

Oranges.—Plentiful, moderate demand. Small oranges, 1s to 2s; good eating, 3s 6d to 4s 6d; large choice, 5s to 6s; navel oranges, choice 10s to 12s, good 5s to 7s, small 2s to 2s 6d per gin-case; packers 1s 6d to 2s, choice 3s 6d; windfall oranges, 9d to 1s per gin-case.

Mandarins.—Fair supply. Fair demand. Thornies, small 2s to 3s 6d, medium 4s to 5s, large choice 8s to 12s; Emperors, small 3s 6d to 4s, medium 6s to 7s, choice 10s to 12s per gin-case.

Tomatoes.—Queensland, ripe, 2s to 3s; green, 1s to 2s per quarter-case.

### FAT STOCK SALES.

THE HOMEBUSH YARDS.

At the fat stock sales at Homebush yesterday 18,252 sheep were penned, the bulk of the supply being of only medium quality. There was a good attendance of buyers, competition being brisk throughout, and prices generally showed an improvement on last week's rates. Best lots of wethers made to 11s 1d, a few tops 12s 1d, good 9s to 9s 6d, medium 6s 6d to 7s 6d, others from 4s 4d. Best lots of ewes made to 8s 6d, good 7s to 7s 6d, medium 5s 6d to 6s, others from 4s 3d. Lambs were scarce, and prices very firm at last Thursday's rates. 1673 cattle were yarded, including a large proportion of medium quality bullocks and cows. There was a good attendance of buyers, including the Sydney Meat Preserving Company, who purchased freely, and competition was very brisk throughout, prices, especially for best quality, showing a marked improvement on late values, although towards the finish of sales a slight decline on earlier rates was noticeable, this alluding principally to medium descriptions. Extra prime yards of bullocks made to £7; odd beasts up to £9 2s 6d; good pens, £4 15s to £5 5s; medium, £3 10s to £4; others, from 55s. Best pens of cows made to £3 18s; odd beasts to £4; good yards, £3 to £3 5s; medium, 45s to 50s.

Messrs. Hill, Clark, and Co.—52 crossbred ewes for Mackay and Copland at 9s 8d, 91 crossbred ewes at 8s 6d, 32 crossbred ewes (seconds) at 8s; 1125 wethers for Clift Bros. at 8s 5d, 8s 6d, 301 wethers (seconds) at 7s 1d, 7s 3d, 8 crossbreds at 9s, 508 ewes at 6s 9d, 6s 10d, 109 ewes (tops) for J. Mathias at 7s 1d, 7s 3d, 1153 ewes at 4s 11d, 200 ewes (seconds) at 4s 6d; 1 bullock for H. Smith at £4 18s, 3 cows at £3 16s; 12 bullocks for F. Willmot to £5, averaging £4 14s, 11 cows to £3 13s, averaging £2 12s 6d; 3 bullocks for T. B. Brown to £5, averaging £4 11s, 3 to £5 9s, averaging £4 7s, 4 cows at £3 7s, 1 calf at 10s; 34 bullocks for G. Baker to £4 18s, averaging £4 2s 2d, 10 cows to £4 1s, averaging £3 12s 7d, 1 bullock (injured) at £2 13s; 70 bullocks for estate late R. Hill to £4 19s, averaging £3 16s 9d, 1 cow at £3; 161 bullocks for Cox, Dowling, and Co. to £4 9s, averaging £3 8s 2d, 37 cows to £3 2s, averaging £2 8s 9d; 109 cows for executors late R. Ridge to £3 18s, averaging £3 1s 9d, 3 cows (injured) to £2 17s, averaging £2 7s 4d; 2 bullocks for James Simpson at £3 4s, 5 cows at £2 8s; 45 bullocks for Mantuan Downs Station to £3 7s, averaging £2 17s.

Harrison, Jones, and Devlin, Limited.—99 bullocks for H. Wallace to £5 16s, averaging £4 16s 2d; 32 bullocks for A. W. Crain to £5 1s, averaging £4 15s 2d; 65 bullocks for J. W. Manchee to £5, averaging £4 9s 7d, 9 cows to £3 8s, averaging £2 17s; 10 bullocks for Northern agents at £4 3s; 10 bullocks for F. Campbell at £3 14s; 38 wethers for T. and W. Nelson at 10s 11d, 6 (stained) at 8s 11d, 197 ewes at 9s 1d, 30 culls at 8s; 146 ewes for Thomas Harvey at 8s, 1 crossbred ewe at 8s 4d, 95 wethers at 8s; 167 wethers for Charles Jones at 5s; 28 crossbreds for G. L. Dowe at 5s, 367 ewes at 4s 6d to 4s 8d, 6 (injured) at 3s; 8 lambs for Thomas Harvey at 7s 4d, 59 suckers at 5s; 9 lambs for T. and W. Nelson at 5s 1od.

Messrs. J. C. Young and Co.—38 bullocks for Northern agents to £5 12s, averaging £5 0s 3d; 13 bullocks for E. H. Wall at £4 12s, 15 steers to £4, averaging £3 16s 8d, 1 cow at £4 5s, 1 heifer at £2 7s; 116 wethers for Southern agents from 5s to 5s 6d, 100 ewes at 4s 2d.

Messrs. Maiden Brothers.—985 wethers for M. T. Kennedy at 7s 6d to 8s, 415 (seconds) at 6s 4d, 103 (culls) at 5s 1d; 574 ewes for E. Balgarnie at 6s 3d, 123 (seconds) at 5s, 77 wethers at 5s 2d, 53 (seconds) at 4s 7d, 168 ewes for James Clay at 5s 9d to 5s 10d, 35 (seconds) at 4s 10d, 19 wethers at 6s 9d, 43 at 5s 10d, 14 hoggets at 4s 10d; 371 ewes for Western agents at 4s 6d to 4s 10d, 119 (seconds) at 3s 9d; 20 lambs for Jos. Clay at 5s; 8 bullocks for J. G. Willmott at £4 2s, 2 steers at £2 17s, 1 cow at £3 5s, 1 heifer at £2 18s.

Pitt, Son, and Badgery, Limited.—16 wethers for Britton and Donohoe at 12s 1d, 70 wethers at 11s 1d up to 11s 3d; 21 wethers for H. C. White and Cobb at 12s 1d, 351 at 11s 1d up to 11s 3d, 24 crossbred wethers at 10s 7d, 2 wethers at 8s 3d; 2010 wethers for A. A. Company at 10s 11d; 186 ewes for T. Loveles at 7s; 18 ewes for E. Smith at 4s 10d, 105 ewes at 4s 6d; 1 bullock for J. H. Davies at £9 2s 6d; 2 bullocks for J. K. Clark at £8 2s 6d; 1 bullock for C. Moore at £7 17s 6d; 63 bullocks for John Lee up to £6 18s, averaging £6 12s 8d; 8 bullocks for C. Moore at £6; 44 bullocks for G. and C. Binnie up to £6 1s, averaging £5 9s 10d; 27 bullocks for Dangar Brothers up to £5 12s, averaging £5 11s 6d; 8 bullocks for W. Bowman at £4 15s; 18 bullocks for E. Bowman up to £4 13s, averaging £4 7s; 19 bullocks for J. H. Cosgrove up to £4 5s, averaging £4 1s 8d; 35 bullocks for Namoi P. Company, Ltd., up to £4 15s, averaging £4 2s 4d, 1 (lame) at £3 6s; 7 bullocks for J. K. Clark at £3 10s, 46 bullocks for T. and J. Walker up to £4 1s, averaging £3 17s 4d; 60 bullocks for J. K. and W. H. Mackay up to £3 18s, averaging £3 9s; 49 bullocks for E. Vickery and Sons (up to £3 7s, averaging £3 3s 3d; 16 bullocks for J. H. Davis up to £3 7s, averaging £3 3s 3d.

Messrs. Wilkinson and Lavender.—135 wethers for Ryder Brothers at 9s 2d, 1330 at 7s 10d to 8s 5d, 219 at 5s 2d to 5s 10d, 12 stags at 4s 8d; 167 ewes for R. D. Barton at 9s 9d, 1121 at 7s, 157 at 5s 10d; 45 bullocks for Scottish Aust. I. Company at £4 17s 7d.

Mr. F. G. Weaver.—36 bullocks for Edward White at £4 11s 3d; 550 wethers for Rutledge Brothers at 5s 10d to 5s 11d, 40 at 5s.

Messrs. Warden Harry Graves and Son.—174 wethers for T. H. Stoneham at 10s, 70 at 8s 9d to 9s, 28 ewes at 9s, 265 at 8s, 9 lambs at 5s 9d.

Messrs. T. Sullivan and Son.—1091 wethers for Hon. James Tyson at 6s 3d to 6s 5d.

Messrs. Joseph Leeds and Co.—106 bullocks for Mungie Bundie station to £7, averaging £5 15s; 29 bullocks for M. and M. M'Iliday to £5 5s, averaging £4 18s 5d; 30 bullocks for J. A. Gardiner to £4 10s, averaging £3 15s 2d, 19 cows averaging £2 7s; 30 bullocks for W. F. Buchanan; 497 wethers for Namoi Pastoral Company, Limited, at 8s, 552 at 7s 5d.

### MAITLAND FAT STOCK SALES.

WEST MAITLAND, Monday.

Fat stock sales were held at Campbell's Hill Yards today. In fat cattle the supply was not above the requirements of the trade, considering that it was the only one sale for this week. There was a good attendance of buyers and competition was keen for all prime quality cattle, prices for this class ruling very firm. Best yards bullocks sold readily at £5 15s 6d and £5; good, £5 to £5 5s; others, £2 15s to £4 10s per head; steers, £1 14s to £2 15s; cows, £1 to £3 13s; heifers, £3 3s to £2 10s. Calves were in light supply. Prime calves were in good demand, and sold well. Medium were difficult to quit. Lots sold brought 4s to £1 14s. The supply of fat sheep was quiet and below requirements. Trade competition was extremely brisk for anything prime, and prices consequently ruled very firm. Best wethers sold readily at 12s 6d to 13s 9d; medium and light sorts, 7s 6d to 9s. Lambs continue in light supply. Lots realised 6s 10d to 7s. Of pigs a light supply was penned. Biddings were brisk, and all lots sold at firmer rates. Lots cleared brought from 4s to £1 7s.

### ABSTRACT OF SALES BY AUCTION THIS DAY.

LAND AND HOUSES.

BATT, RODD, and PURVES.—At their Rooms, at 11.30, Land and Houses, Bank Shares, &c.

FURNITURE AND MERCHANDISE.

M. SYMONDS and CO.—At their Rooms, at 11, Furniture, Pianos, Electroplate, China, Overmantels, Oil Paintings, &c.

A. TRAVERSI and CO.—At their Rooms, at 11, Boots and Shoes.

J. RODD and CO.—At their Rooms, at 11, Salvage Goods, consisting of Drapery, Clothing, Haberdashery, Hats, Mercery, Books, &c.

J. FIENBERG.—At 94 Great Buckingham-street, Redfern, at 11, Furniture, Piano, Sewing Machine, Oil Paintings, Curios, &c.

HARRIS and ACKMAN.—At the rear of their Auction Mart, at 11, Salvage Stock of Boots, Shoes, Grindery, Nails, Heavy Canvas, &c.; at their Mart, at 11, Teas; at 2.30, Furniture, Overmantels, Bookcases, Toilets, &c.

DALWOOD and CO.—On the premises, 108 Pitt-street, at 11, Printing Plant, Gas Engine, Type, Office Furniture, &c.; at 636 George-street, Brickfield-hill, at 10, Tables, Chairs, Overmantel, Lolly Jars, Counter, Showcase, &c.

W. CRANE, Jun.—On the premises, Square and Compass Hotel, George-street, Haymarket, at 10, Furniture and Effects.

J. P. LISTER.—At his Rooms, at 11, Watches, Jewellery, &c.

L. PHILLIPS.—At 237 Pitt-street, at 11, Furniture, Piano, Island Curios, &c.

H. HAINS.—At 28 Pitt-street, Redfern, at 11, Furniture and Effects.

TAYLOR and CO.—At the corner of Erskineville-road and Wilson-street, near Newtown railway station, at 11, Stock of Groceries, Counters, Shelving, Glass Cases, &c.

R. F. ROYAN.—At Whistler-street, Manly, at 11, Furniture, &c.

MIDDLETON and CO.—At 5½ Wellington-street, Redfern, at 11, Furniture, &c.; at 71 Regent-street, at 2.30, Furniture, Clothing, &c.

WOOL AND STATION PRODUCE.

SYDNEY WOOL-SELLING BROKERS' ASSOCIATION.—At Harrison, Jones, and Devlin's, Winchcombe, Carson, and Co.'s, and N.Z. Loan and Mercantile Agency Co.'s Stores, at 11, Leather; at Wool Exchange, at 11.30, Sheepskins; at the various Stores, at 2, Bark.

HORSES, HARNESS, AND VEHICLES.

G. KISS.—At Bazaar, at 11 and 12, Horses, &c.

W. INGLIS and SON.—At Bazaar, at 10.30 and 12, Horses, &c.; at Camperdown, at 2.30, Horses.

W. J. MOXHAM and CO.—At their Sale-Rooms, 19 York-street, at 11, Buggies, Carriages, &c.

H. HAINS.—At 28 Pitt-street, Redfern, at 11, Horse, Harness, Buggy, Sulky, &c.

TAYLOR and CO.—At the corner of Erskineville-road and Wilson-street, near Newtown railway station, at 11, Horse, Buggy, Harness, &c.

FARM AND DAIRY PRODUCE.

S. PROCTER.—At his Mart, at 3, Poultry, &c.

G. KISS.—At Bazaar, at 12, Cows, Calves, &c.

HOSKINS and CO.—At Yards, at 3, Poultry, &c.

COUNTRY-KILLED MEAT.

H. M'NAMARA.—At Hay-street, at 12, Beef, Mutton, &c.

MISCELLANEOUS.

S. PROCTER.—At Darling Harbour, at 3, Wood, &c.

ELLIS and CO.—At 83 William-street, Woolloomooloo, at 2.30, Working Plant of a Butchering Establishment, Horses, &c.

### A SECRET.

The secret of PEARS' SOAP is that it has no excess of alkali in it. No matter how much you may use it, you cannot roughen the skin with it.—[ADVT.]

WAUGH'S BAKING POWDER obtained the only first-class award of highest degree of merit. Waugh's Baking Powder is the best.—[ADVT.]

TO DARKEN GREY HAIR.—Lockyer's Sulphur Hair Restorer is the quickest, best, safest, and cheapest. Lockyer's keeps off ravages of time. Causes hair to grow. Large bottles 1s 6d.—[ADVT.]

ROBERT LITTLE AND CO., Grain and Produce Auctioneers. Sales daily at Redfern. Highest prices, prompt returns.—[ADVT.]

THE SOUTH COAST and WEST CAMDEN CO-OPERATIVE COMPANY, Limited, Sussex and Liverpool streets, Sydney. Manufacturers of Choicest Creamery Butter.—[ADVT.]

## AMUSEMENTS.

RECHABITE SOCIAL.

The seventeenth anniversary of the Captain Cook tent No. 1, I.O. Rechabites, was celebrated in the Temperance Hall, Pitt-street, on Friday evening last by a concert and social, which was in every respect a decided success. The hall was specially decorated in an artistic manner, and, with the various regalia, presented a brilliant appearance. There were fully 300 present, and the first part comprised a vocal and instrumental programme. Mr. Thos. Rook (chief ruler) presided, and the arrangements were under the direction of the secretary, Mr. F. W. Collins. There were also present Messrs. W. Watt, D.C.R.; W. H. Atwill, D.D.R.; I. Greenstreet, D. secretary; J. J. Ward, D. treasurer; and Messrs. Austins, Doughty, Rafton, and Kreiger, executive officers of the Pioneer Lodge, N.I.O.O.F.; Messrs. F. A. Morgan and R. G. Ennever, past district officers, were also present. Apologies were received from District Officers W. L. Dash, R. H. Rowe, and others.

Our Melbourne correspondent wires as follows:—The Brough and Boucicault season, at the Princess's Theatre, was brought to a close on Friday night, and the company left for Adelaide. They have been succeeded by the Royal Comic Opera Company, who commenced the season on Saturday evening at the Princess's Theatre with "La Fille de Madame Angot." The theatre was crowded. Miss Juliet Wray, of Ballarat, the lady who lately joined the company, gave an admirable performance of the part of Clairette. At the Theatre Royal "Saved from the Sea," by the Bland Holt company, continues to draw large audiences. The third concert of the series by the Star Concert Company was given in the Town Hall on Saturday evening, in the presence of a large audience.

## MINING MANAGERS' REPORTS.

The Broken Hill Proprietary Block 10 Company, Limited, report for week ended August 14.—Campbell's shaft: Pump continues to work nine strokes per minute, and is lifting 10,000 gallons of water per hour. Water in shaft now stands a few feet below 815ft. level, and everything is working smoothly and well. 715ft. level: Main crosscut west driven 7ft.; present face 7ft. from plat. 615ft. level: Winze in bottom of the main crosscut west. Have syphoned the water from this winze, and find the flow of water too heavy to admit sinking being resumed at present. Kelly shaft, 240ft. level. Have party of men engaged re-timbering shaft from 240ft. level upwards. This will be completed in a few days, when work will be resumed in the deeper levels. Concentration: Plant worked 130 hours, treating 295 tons from the sill of the dump, producing 85 tons 2cwt. of concentrates, containing 48 tons 13cwt. 3qr. of lead and 3346oz. of silver. Ore despatched: For week, 808 tons 9cwt. 2qr. gross, containing 257 tons 10cwt. 2qr. of lead and 32,060oz. of silver. General: The fire in Block 11 is now a thing of the past. The carbonic acid gas being pumped into the mine by the Proprietary Company is so dense in the north end of our mine that it is impossible for any fire to exist there.

The British Broken Hill Proprietary Company, Limited. Mining manager's report for week ended Wednesday, August 14.—Blackwood No. 1 shaft, 300ft. level: West crosscut lengthened 4ft. total length from plat 8ft.; face in very hard country rock. 200ft. level: South-west drive down winze in No. 1 west crosscut was driven 9ft., total 76ft.; face in fair grade sulphide ore. Have stopped work here for present, and are now working northwards from winze in a splendid face of sulphide ore. North drive down winze in western extension, which was started off west crosscut was driven a distance of 40ft. during week, but has now come up against a hard wall. We have, therefore, suspended work here, and commenced a south drive in end of crosscut in order to follow wall around in this direction. Winze in long crosscut in western extension was sunk 6ft., total depth 28ft.; bottom now entering very fair sulphides. Howell No. 2 shaft, 300ft. level: West crosscut extended 7ft., making total length from plat 101ft.; face getting somewhat better for driving. 270ft. level: 60ft. was driven on south side of east crosscut from the north winze, and connection made with south drive from crosscut; 36ft. was also driven on north side of crosscut, all through sulphide ore of good lead value. 100ft. level: Are still fixing trucks and making a gangway round old stopes to plat. Marsh No. 6 shaft, 2nd level: Winze stopes are yielding the usual output of fair grade carbonate ore. The uprise in end of east crosscut down winze stopes was risen 23ft. on footwall, and connection made with south drive off No. 3 east crosscut, which has improved the ventilation. Junction 300ft. level: Uprise over north-east drive was risen 6ft., making total height 49ft.; roof very patchy. Are timbering portion of rise. Ore shipments: No ore was forwarded from the mine during the week. The following lot has been agreed from previous shipments shipped to Block 14 Company, Port Adelaide, viz., 63 tons net, containing 3720oz. silver and 15 tons lead.

Democrat Gold-mining Company, No Liability, Glen Wills, August 21.—The Manager telegraphs:—Crushed 65 tons at Livingstone Mill for 26½oz. 2½dwt.; also saved 3½ tons concentrates. Mine looks well in all faces.

Ivanhoe Gold-mining Company, No Liability, Kalgoorlie, August 9.—The Manager reports:—Crosscut 193ft. west driven 3ft., total 10ft.; proving both walls of the lode to be hard diorite. South drive 6ft., total 11½ft.; reef carrying fair gold the whole width of the drive. Winze No. 2 sunk 2ft., total 63ft.; reef going down very vertical and very hard: fair stone. Stope No. 1 still in good ore. Pass No. 2 sunk 13ft., total 31ft.; reef 3ft. 6in. wide; carrying good gold. Pass No. 3 sank 5ft., total 13ft.; reef 5ft. thick but poor.

The Kapai-Vermont Gold-mining Company, No Liability.—Mine manager's report dated August 16.—The main level south face has been extended a distance of 30ft. since contract started, and is now in a total of 177ft. south of rise, the prospects in reef (which is from 3ft. to 6ft. wide) have improved during the past week, but are not yet very large; progress is slow as only one man works here. Reef continued in intermediate south of rise from 3ft. to 4ft. wide; a very good ore is being obtained; this face is now in 136ft. past the rise, and continued to give rich ore the whole distance. On the same level 174ft. has been driven north; this also gave out good ore the total distance, and good prospects are available in the present face. I hope shortly to have a connection with this level and the extreme north end of your mine. Dead work, such as rising, timbering, &c., is being carried on in various parts of the mine during the stoppage of mill, which I hope will not occupy more than another week. New segments are in their position, and the boiler is again placed on its brick foundation. The two vats are quite completed, and two more under way by contract, which will also be finished within a month; this will make a total of three vats, which will admit of mill being run full time. All the works now under way are progressing most satisfactorily. The conjoint low level with Try Fluke Company is about to be started by contract.


COUGHS, COLDS on the CHEST, BRONCHITIS, and ASTHMA rapidly cured by HEARNE'S BRONCHITIS CURE.

Those who have taken this medicine are amazed at its wonderful influence. Sufferers from any form of bronchitis, distressing cough, difficulty of breathing, hoarseness, pain or soreness in the chest, experience delightful and immediate relief, and to those who are subject to colds on the chest it is invaluable, as it effects a complete cure. It is most comforting in allaying tickling and irritation in the throat, and giving strength to the voice, and it never allows a cough or asthma to become chronic. No house should be without it, as, taken at the beginning, a dose is generally sufficient, and a complete cure is certain.

Prepared only, and sold wholesale and retail, by the proprietor, W. G. HEARNE, Chemist, Geelong, Victoria. To be obtained in bottles, small size 2s 6d, large 4s 6d, from chemists and medicine vendors.

DYNAMITE. SOCIETE DES POUDRES ET DYNAMITES, PARIS. Guaranteed equal to Nobel's. Agents, JULES RENARD and CO., 306 Kent-street.


## Tenders.

ARTISTS and PAINTERS.—If you want best quality Goods for Lowest Cost, buy from JAMES SANDY and CO., 271 and 330 George-street.

BOROUGH OF PADDINGTON. TENDERS are invited, and will be received, up till MONDAY, 2nd SEPTEMBER, at 3 p.m., for Reforming, Ballasting, and Metalling Portion of Elizabeth-street. Specification to be seen on application to the undersigned. A. VIALOUX, Council Clerk. Town Hall, 26th August, 1895.

BRICKLAYERS.—Tenders, labour only, for large House. St. John's-rd. and Westmoreland-st., Glebe.

DRAINAGE.—TENDERS are invited for Drainage and Sanitary Plumbing to two Houses in William-street, the property of Patrick Dimond, Esq. For plans and specification apply to Messrs. MANSFIELD and SON, Architects, Martin-chambers, Moore-street. Tenders to be delivered on THURSDAY, the 29th instant.

DAMPCOURSE, pure bitumen, portable rolls, cheaper better thanfimpor. or slate. Asphaltum Co., Lime-st.

FRENCH ROOFING TILES. "COCK" BRAND. The next shipment is due to arrive per Ville de la Ciotat, on September 5th. Orders now booked for delivery from French Wharf. WUNDERLICH'S, Ltd., Redfern.

IN THE ASSIGNED ESTATE OF JOSEPH CHAMBERLAIN, Storekeeper, Katoomba.

TENDERS are invited and will be received up to noon of THURSDAY, 29th INSTANT, for purchase of the undermentioned lots, viz.:—

LOT I.

STOCK, comprising—

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| Men's and Boys' Clothing | £65 11 7 | |
| Mercery | 33 18 0 | |
| Manchester | 27 16 3 | |
| Dress Goods | 19 10 3 | |
| Hosiery and Haberdashery | 53 5 3 | |
| Ribbons, Lace, and Fancy | 55 8 8 | |
| | | £255 10 0 |
| Boots | 28 19 10 | |
| Groceries | 64 8 2 | |
| Ironmongery and Crockery | 37 19 3 | |
| Plant | 64 16 0 | |
| | | 451 13 3 |

LOT II.

BOOK DEBTS.

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| Good | £184 1 2 | |
| Doubtful | 70 5 1 | |
| | | £254 6 3 |
| Bad | £327 9 10 | |

Tenders to be accompanied with a deposit of 10 per cent. The highest or any tender not necessarily accepted. Stock-sheets may be seen, form of tender and further information obtained on application at the store or to the Agents for the Trustee. STARKEY and STARKEY, Chartered Accountants, 93 York-street. Sydney, 19th August, 1895.

MUNICIPALITY OF HURSTVILLE. TO ACCOUNTANTS.

TENDERS will be received up to 6 p.m. on THURSDAY, the 29th instant, from competent persons, To make a detailed examination of the whole of this Council's Books and Accounts from the commencement of the Municipality to June 29th, 1895, and furnish a report thereon, the maximum amount allowed being £100. Books may be inspected, and all particulars obtained at the Council-chambers during office hours. Tenders to be endorsed "Tender for Examination of Books and Accounts," and addressed to the undersigned. THOS. A. E. WEARNE, Council Clerk. Council-chambers, Hurstville, August 20th, 1895.

MUNICIPALITY OF HURSTVILLE. TENDER FOR BLUE METAL.

TENDERS will be received up to 6 p.m. on THURSDAY, the 29th instant, for the Supply of 50 tons of Blue Metal, broken to 2½ gauge. Tenders to be endorsed "Tenders for Blue Metal," and addressed to the undersigned. THOS. A. E. WEARNE, Council Clerk. Council-chambers, Hurstville, August 20th, 1895.

MILK, MILK.—TENDERS are invited from persons willing to make and supply 15 Milk Dandies; Tanks to hold 40 gallons; wheel to be 3ft. 6in. Tenders to be addressed to W. R. S., Haymarket Post-office.

NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS. CONTRACTORS are informed that the TENDER of Messrs. Foster and Co., 7 Market-street, Sydney, has been accepted for Building Shops, &c., in Bowral. JAS. CAMPBELL, Architect, King and Wilson streets, Newtown.

PRODUCE MERCHANTS and FARMERS.—Wanted: TENDERS for 250 tons of Prime Lucerne Hay, part or whole of quantity for delivery in September in lots of about 50 tons, delivered at Pyrmont Wharf. Samples to accompany tenders. Tenders to close WEDNESDAY, 28th. BERGL and BRABBIN, City Bank-chambers, Pitt-street.

PAINTERS.—Tenders wanted for Colouring and Varnishing 2 Rms. New Buildings, Little Macquarie-st.

PAINTING, Paperhanging.—TENDERS wanted for above. Apply 333 Jones-st., Ultimo, near Fig-lane.

STONE CUTTERS.—Tenders wanted, labour only. Steps and Kerbing. App. on job, Little Macquarie-st.

TO BUILDERS. TENDERS are invited for the Erection and Completion of a Brick Cottage at Mosman. For plans and all particulars apply to the undersigned, to whom tenders are to be delivered on or before the 9th day of September, at 12 o'clock noon. J. B. ALDERSON, Architect, 121 Pitt-street, Sydney.

TENDERS are invited for Plastering (labour) and Plumbing to Villa Residence at Woy Woy. Full particulars to be obtained at my office. GEORGE W. DURRELL, A.R.I.B.A., Architect, Tattersall's-chambers, Hunter-street.

TENDERS are invited for Masonry, Brickwork, Carpentry, Plastering, and Plumbing of Dwelling, labour only. Apply to A. FENTON SPENCER, Architect, 41 Elizabeth-street.

TENDERS invited for Purchase of Timber standing on sixty-four acres of land, close to Parramatta. Particulars, apply to G. T. HUNT, Harold-street, Parramatta.

TENDERS for Excavations, also for Laying-on Water. Apply on ground, 8 o'clock, Coronna-road, South Annandale, Near pine trees.

TENDERS are invited for Conveyance to Rockhampton, early Sept. delivery given, of 100 Tons (say One Hundred Tons) C. I. Pipes. Particulars at once to R. L. SCRUTTON and CO., 97 Clarence-street.

TENDERS are invited for Fencing Land, 165ft. by 100ft., at Leichhardt. Materials and labour or labour only at per rod. Apply M. G. T., 285 Pitt-street.

TO DOCTORS.—TENDERS invited for the Hire or Purchase of an 8-roomed House, with all conveniences, splendid position for a medical man. Apply PRATT and CO., Crystal-street, Petersham.

TENDER for Brickwork of Cottage. Holborrow-st., Croydon.

TENDER for—and done at once—Calico Sign, and other writing. H. Johnson, 72 Botany-rd., Alexandria.

TENDERS for Slating three Cottages, also Plumbing. Doncaster-avenue, Kensington.

TENDERS for Plumbers' Work of 2 Cottages. Call early at Pitt and M'Evoy sts., Waterloo.

TENDERS for Brickwork Cottage, labour only. Apply after 5, Langholm Cottage, Percival-rd., Petersham.

TENDERS for Brickwork, labour only. On job, 149 Denison-rd., Lewisham.

TENDERS required for Painting, &c., at Aberfoyle, 92 Boulevard, Petersham. Apply there.

TENDERS for Laying Tiles and Mantels. Apply two new houses, Cowper-st., Waverley, opposite Post-office.

TENDERS for Graining Oak. Arthur-st., near Mount-st., North Sydney. Mr. Grunow.

TENDERS wanted for Laying Drain Pipes, part stone. Albion Hotel, Balmain East.

TENDERS, Painting, &c. Specifications at the office of A. Mitchell, 114 Abercrombie-st.

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THE FRIENDS of the late Mrs. CATHERINE CALLAGHAN are kindly invited to attend her Funeral, which will move from her late residence, 15 Bruce-street, Balmain West, THIS (Tuesday) AFTERNOON, at 1 o'clock, for Rookwood Cemetery.
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THE FUNERAL of the late CECILIA DEELY, relict of the late Henry Deely, of Bourke-street, S. Hills, will leave 8 Portland-street, Waterloo, THIS (Tuesday) AFTERNOON, at 1.15, to Necropolis. W. J. DIXON and COMPANY, Embalmers, 169 Riley-st., 183 George-st. W., 120 Oxford-st. Tel., 568.

THE FRIENDS of Mr. THOMAS DANIELS are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of his late beloved WIFE, Maria H.; to move from his residence, 70 Elizabeth-street, Paddington, THIS (Tuesday) AFTERNOON, at a quarter past 1 o'clock, to Necropolis.
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THE FRIENDS of WILLIAM and MARY WATSON are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of their late beloved DAUGHTER, Olive Elizabeth, which will move from their residence, 9 Union-street, Pyrmont, at a quarter to 2 o'clock, THIS (Tuesday) AFTERNOON, for Rookwood Cemetery.
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THE FRIENDS of W. P. HUMPHREYS are respectfully invited to attend the Funeral of his late beloved MOTHER-IN-LAW, Sarah Macarthur, which will leave Newtown Railway Station for Necropolis by funeral train leaving Sydney THIS AFTERNOON, at half-past 2 o'clock. Ernest Andrews and Co., undertakers, Newtown.

THE FRIENDS of the Reverend W. F. OAKES are respectfully invited to attend the Funeral of his late beloved MOTHER-IN-LAW, Sarah Macarthur, which will leave Newtown Railway Station for Necropolis by funeral train leaving Sydney THIS AFTERNOON, at half-past 2 o'clock. Ernest Andrews and Co., undertakers.

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FRIENDS of the FAMILY of the late Mrs. M. J. HEIL are invited to attend the Funeral of their beloved MOTHER; to move THIS DAY from her late residence, 56 Glebe-road, at 2.45 p.m., for Balmain Cemetery.

THE FRIENDS of HENRY N. VAUGHAN are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of his late beloved MOTHER-IN-LAW, Mrs. M. J. Heil; to move from her late residence, No. 56 Glebe-road, THIS DAY, Tuesday, at 2.45 p.m., for Balmain Cemetery.

THE FRIENDS of Mr. THOMAS G. TOWNSEND are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of his late beloved WIFE, Lucy Emily, which will move from his residence, Atchisson-street, Berry's Estate, North Sydney, THIS (Tuesday) AFTERNOON, at 3 o'clock, for Chatswood Cemetery.
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THE OFFICERS and BRETHREN of the Old Oak Lodge, U.A.O.D., are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of Brother Thomas Townsend's late WIFE, which will move from his residence, Atchisson-st., Berry's Estate, North Sydney, THIS (Tuesday) AFTERNOON, at 3 o'clock, for Chatswood Cemetery. JOS. WRIGHT, Sec.

THE FRIENDS of the late MERCY FOSTER are kindly informed that her Funeral will move from her son-in-law's (Mr. J. Gentle) residence, Cook's River-road, St. Peters, THIS (Tuesday) AFTERNOON, at half-past 3 o'clock, for St. Peters Cemetery. BOOTS and GOMMESON, Undertakers and Embalmers, Newtown, Rockdale.

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THE FRIENDS of GEORGE and FLORENCE ALLAN are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of their late beloved DAUGHTER, Eva Isabell, which will move from their residence, 41 Cary-street, Leichhardt, THIS (Tuesday) AFTERNOON, at 3.30 p.m., for Balmain Roman Catholic Cemetery.
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